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BIRTHS.

BAKER—November 17, 1924, at 40 Upper Fitzwilliam street, the wife of T. K. H. Baker, Malahow, Naul, of a daughter.

COLMAN—November 15, 1924, at a Private Nursing Home, St. Ann's, 100 N.C.R., to Mr. and Mrs. Colman, 9 Clarinda Park, Kingstown, a son.

O'HIGGINS—November 19, 1924, at Dunamase, Cross avenue, Blackrock, County Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Higgins, a son.

WALLACE—November 19, 1924, at Piercetown, Newbridge, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Eric Wallace, a son.

WATKINS—November 22, 1924, at Dover, to Joan (nee Blake), the wife of A. Powell Watkins, M.C., the Worcestershire Regiment, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CROOKSHANK and PEEBLES—November 20, 1924, at Tulagi, British Solomons, Robert Crookshank, Lieutenant-Commander, R.N. (retired), to Mary, daughter of Mrs. Peebles, 5 Mosspark avenue, Drumbreck, Glasgow.

MAGUIRE and BOWERS—November 17, 1924, at Kilmacow Church, County Kilkenny, by Rev. — Wilson, Richard Maguire, Indian Army, eldest son of Josiah and Mrs. Maguire, of Enniskillen, to Marjorie Alys, younger daughter of the late Maunsell D Bowers and Mrs. Bowers, of Rathmore, Piddown, County Kilkenny. No cards.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BROWNE—November 23, 1924, at his brother's residence, 14 Victoria road, Rathgar, after one day's illness, Rev. John Wellesley Browne, eldest son of the late T. W. Browne, of Ballinapark, Newtownbarry, County Wexford, in his 79th year. "Having served his own generation he fell asleep." Funeral to Mount Jerome, leaving at 9 o'clock, to-morrow (Tuesday), the 25th inst.

COEN—November 23, 1924, at the Dominican Convent, Galway, Mary Frances (in religion Sister Mary Agnes), eldest child of James J. Coen, Athlone. R.I.P. Office and High Mass 10 o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday). Interment (strictly private) immediately afterwards to Convent Cemetery.

FFRENCH—At the residence of her mother, Cullane House, Ballindine, Rachel A. (Racie), youngest daughter of the late Charles Ffrench. Remains to be removed to the Parish Church, Ballindine, to-day (Monday) at 3 p.m. Office and High Mass at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday) morning. Funeral immediately after.

FLEMING—November 22, 1924, at Monasterboice, Drogheda, Thomas Fleming. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to Townley Hall Churchyard to-day (Monday) 2 p.m.

HALL—November 22, 1924, at Wimbledon, ex-C.S.M. Robert S. Hall, D.C.M., M.M., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, beloved husband of Elizabeth Hall, and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Hall, 7 Home Farm road, Drumcondra.

HUNT—November 23, 1924, Rev. Edward Hunt, O.M.I., St. Kevin's School, Glencree. R.I.P. Office and High Mass, Inchicore, to-morrow (Tuesday) 11 o'clock.

LOGUE—November 19, 1924, at Ara Coeli, Armagh, His Eminence Cardinal Logue, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland. R.I.P. Office and Solemn Requiem Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, 25th inst., beginning at 11 o'clock. Interment immediately after.

POWER—November 21, 1924, at St. Vincent's Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Rev. Nicholas Power, P.P., Fethard, County Tipperary. R.I.P. Requiem Mass 11 o'clock Fethard to-day (Monday). Interment immediately afterwards.

RYAN—November 22, 1924, at his residence, Racefield Cottage, Mounttown, Dun Laoghaire, Patrick Ryan, R.I.P. Funeral to-day from above address to Dean's Grange.

SIKES—November 17, 1924, at 2 Park View, Cork, Susan Lecky, wife of Richard C. Sikes.

IN MEMORIAM.

ALLEN—In loving memory of our dear mother, Jane Allen, Creegran, Athlone, who fell asleep November 24th, 1921.

CLANCHY—In loving memory of Hugh.—Winnie.

CODD—In loving memory of my dear mother and brother Tom, who passed away September 18th and November 24th, 1918.—Fanny.

GOODALL—In ever-loving memory of Emily Goodall, "Bella-Vista," Killybegs, County Donegal, who died November 24th, 1922. Ever remembered by her sorrowing husband and children.

GUERET—Fourth Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of my darling husband, Paul Leon Gueret, who died the 24th November, 1920, at his residence, Belvedere House, Sandymount. Sweet Heart of Jesus, have mercy on him. Sadly missed. Deeply mourned. Inserted by his sorrowing wife and children.

MOFFITT—In loving memory of Mary Moffitt, R.R.C., second daughter of the late George and Fanny Moffitt, who died at her residence, The Donegal House, Bandon, November 22nd, 1922.

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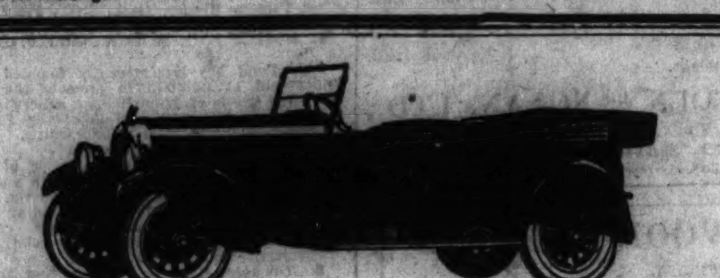

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ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

ACADEMIC Tuition—Matriculation, Pharmaceutical, Solicitors', Surgeons', Preliminaries; unlimited individual attention; success guaranteed.—Ormonde Academy, Rathmines. 21 C

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GREYSTONES—Lady opening Class, Children's first lessons, mornings, desires Pupils immediately. Address "Z 4295, Tuitions," this office. 19 A

GOVERNESS Help, experienced, seeks post, now or new year; Irish, music; best reference. Address "Z 4373, Governess," this office. 21 A

REFINED, educated young Lady would go as Nursery Governess, or Companion Help to elderly lady or gentleman.—C 1580, this office. 19 A

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount street. 'Phone 3085. T

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YOUNG Lady (English Protestant), B.A., T.C.D., desires morning engagement after Christmas; Music, French and usual subjects.—C 1551, this office. 19 A

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GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No 5258. T

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ST. Andrew's College, Dublin.—Applications are invited for the following appointments:—(1) Junior Master, mainly for Mathematics and Games, salary £200; (2) Mistress for Preparatory School, salary £100. Duties will commence, in each case, on 12th January. Testimonials, etc., should be lodged with the Headmaster before 6th December.

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

BUTCHER—First class stall and slaughterhouse man, disengaged; 7 years' experience; city (outdoor); good reference.—C 1851, this office. 22 B

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GROCERY and Provisions—Young Lady Junior; good experience in first class house; Protestant. Address "Z 4250, Assistant," this office. 20 B

GENTLEMAN, middle aged, wants position as Manager of Estate; experienced; would assist delicate gentleman or take entire management. Address "Z 4364, Manager," this office. 20 A

GROCERY, Bar, Provisions—Girl seeks position; willing, agreeable, assist housework; salary £12. Address "Z 4402, Girl," this office. 22 B

LADY wishes place as Companion Help in Dublin; musical, domesticated and good housekeeper. Address "Z 4413, Lady," this office.

LADY, experienced, desires post as Organist.—Miss M., c/o Mrs. Murphy, Ballywalter.

LADY working Housekeeper (Protestant) disengaged; plain cooking, good manager.—C 1819, this office.

TWO young Girls, well educated, seek positions at Bar and Grocery; nice home; small fee if required; no experience.—C 1781, this office. 21 C

YOUNG Lady Shorthand Typist desires position; good certificates, experience, good references; well educated, speed 120.—C 1750, this office. 21 C

YOUNG Lady would do light duties or take children out, teach first lessons, daily or resident (Protestant).—24 Main street, Blackrock.

YOUNG lady (junior) desires position as Shorthand Typist; can do bookkeeping.—Y 24, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

YOUNG Man desires situation as Third Engineer with firm of ship owners; excellent references.—W. S. France, 119 North Circular road, Dublin. B

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

WANTED for County Dublin, active young married Man as Ploughman and Carter; must understand all machinery and horses and have satisfactory references. Address "Z 4331, Man," this office. 20 B

WANTED, married Man, Protestant, without family preferred; good strapper; milk three cows, clean boots; wife required to work in house occasionally; free house; copies references, wages expected.—Jackson, Rossdroit, Enniscorthy.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED

WANTED, experienced Working Foreman Gardener to take charge of large Nursery, all under glass; free house, coal, and commission. Particulars of experience, etc., to 23, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 20 B

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

GROOM, long experience hunters and bloodstock; light weight; married.—Corcoran, Athboy, Meath. 19 A

LAD, under ten stone, can ride schooling; well recommended. Address "Z 4428, Lad," this office. 23 B

PANTRY Boy, highly recommended, wishes employment; give service (small pay) for comfortable home; or any other work.—C 1854, this office. 22 D

RESPECTABLE married Man (R.C.) seeks situation, Herd, Shepherd, or Caretaker; highest references. Address "Z 4407, Herd," this office. 22 D

YOUNG Man, single, Wants situation (indoor), yard; good milker, 3 years' garden experience; state terms; well recommended. Address "Z 4340, Man," this office. 20 B

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

GENTLEMAN recommends Gardener General Man; good milker; small family.—W. C., Ashton Park, Monkstown. 17 A

WORKING Steward, Gardener, thoroughly understands requirements of gentleman's place, seeks situation; highly recommended; sober, honest and capable; all round handyman. Apply to Steward, "Echo" Office, Enniscorthy.

WORKING Steward; cattle, sheep, all farm machinery; 7 years last place. Apply Rev. F. Allen, Castlemagner Rectory, Lombardstown. 21 D

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DOMESTICS WANTED.

WORKING Housekeeper Wanted immediately; quiet place, Galway; two in family; state age, salary, send copies of references. Address "Z 4370, Housekeeper," this office. 21 C

WANTED, young Woman for morning work, from 7.30 till 11.30; must be recommended by lady. Apply 40 Morehampton road between 7 and 9 o'clock morning. 21 B

WANTED, young Cook Generals, H. and P'maids, Generals.—Mulpeter's Registry, 11 S. Anne street. 23 B

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COOK General—One lady recommend good Cook who would assist in household work? Address "Z 4423, Cook," this office. 23 D

COOK General Wanted (outdoor). Apply Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.

GOOD Plain Cook; country place; small dairy; two in family.—Levinge, Violetstown, Mullingar. 21 C

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, 1st December, for city (small family), two highly recommended maids, one as Cook, the other House Parlourmaid; send copy of two last discharges, and state age, religion, and wages, etc. Address "Z 4288, Cook," this office. 19 A

WANTED for Bangor, Co. Down, 1st December, Cook General. Write, giving wages required and enclosing references, to Mrs. Petherick, Ardbraccan House, Bangor, Co. Down. 20 B

WANTED, for Blackrock, young Cook General; must be good plain cook, active, and early riser, do own washing; wages £30.—C 1852, this office. 22 B

WANTED, smart Cook General. Apply Belmont, Palmerston road, Dublin.

GENERALS WANTED.

A SMART young General Wanted for Merrion. Apply Maison Geldof, 1 Leinster street. 20 B

GENERAL Servant and Parlour Maid for Protestant family in Belfast; young persons willing to learn preferred. Apply, with copies of references and wages, Address Box No. 1334, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. C

GENERAL Servant Wanted, settled Person, or young Girl to train. Call, before 12 or after 6, to 1 Mespil road.

SMART young General Wanted for Belfast, three in family; good home; wages £24 to start. Apply, before 3 o'clock or after 6 o'clock, 48 York road, Rathmines.

WANTED, experienced, settled General; good cook essential; two in family; no washing or scrubbing; state age, wages.—Mrs. Kelly, Whitestown House, Lusk, Co. Dublin. 19 A

WANTED immediately, experienced General; good plain cook and laundress; small family; must be well recommended; Protestant preferred.—C 1623, this office. 20 B

WANTED, experienced General, immediately; good plain cook; small washing; good outings. Apply "Avalon," Belgrave road, Seapoint. 21 A

WANTED, healthy young Girl to train as General; strictly honest and well recommended.—32, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 21 A

WANTED, Temporary General; must be reliable and trustworthy; family two. Apply 9 York avenue, Rathmines. 23 A

WANTED, smart young General; plain cooking; well recommended; £20. Apply, with copies references, Mrs. Bradshaw, Kiltegan, Baltinglass.

WANTED, superior General; good cook. Apply 18 Wellington road.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

WANTED, for Dublin, young R.C. Girl to train as Housemaid; £16 and uniform.—C 1566, this office. 19 A

WANTED, thoroughly experienced House Parlourmaid; must valet and wait well. Apply, sending copies references, stating wages required, Mrs. Henry Lysaght, Kilmacoon, Doneraile, Co. Cork. A

WANTED, House Parlourmaid by 27th November, one lady. Address "Z 4301, House Parlourmaid," this office. 19 A

WANTED, House Parlour Maid; must be young; country girl preferred.—Carson, Meudon, Swords. 21 C

WANTED, experienced Housemaid (Protestant), for England; wages £36 to £40. Apply, with copies of references, Stewart's Registry, Church street, Ennis.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid, strong, well recommended; wages £26. Send copy last paper or call before ten or after six, Shandon, Monkstown, Dublin. 23 D

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WANTED, Girl, mind child and assist house duties.—C 1569, this office. 19 A

WANTED, for Co. Kildare, experienced Infant's Nurse (R.C.); take entire charge of baby one month old, help nursery, do infant's washing. Address Mrs. Smithwick, Ivanhoe, Lansdowne road. 19 A

WANTED, 2nd December, Pembroke, capable Nurse, two children, 2 and 4; must be recommended; usual duties; Protestant preferred. Interview, Irish Times Office, Tuesday, Wednesday, 3 o'clock to 4 o'clock. 21 A

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED, good Laundress, 3 days weekly, willing to do some scrubbing; Terenure district.—C 1734, this office. 21 C

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

LADY recommends untrained Girl (18), either Betweenmaid, Kitchenmaid, Nursemaid.—Fox, Martenstown, Athboy. 20 B

LADY recommends two Girls, R.C. family, 17 and 18 years, as Between Maids; good home experience. Apply Mrs. Monahan, Newtown, Ballyglunin, Co. Galway. 21 A

YOUNG Woman, 21, Protestant, wishes situation Betweenmaid, General, housework; highly recommended.—C 1802, this office.

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A YOUNG Girl wishes a situation as Cook General in small family; well recommended. Apply M. McGovern, Yacht and Boat Club, Clontarf, Dublin 21 A

AS Cook General, temporarily, in or out; very good discharges.—C 1839, this office.

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COOK General, Cook Housekeeper, gentlemen; good papers; highly recommended.—C 1697, this office. 21 A

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A GENERAL disengaged; excellent cook.—34, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

COUNTRY Girl wishes situation as General; good reference. Address "Z 4410, General," this office. 22 D

EXPERIENCED General wants situation small family.—Lily Hannigan, Old Grange, Monasterevan, Kildare.

GENERAL Servant wishes situation; £24; plain cooking, small washing.—C 1814, this office.

GENERAL, settled woman, indoor Cook, wash; suburbs; highly recommended.—C 1821, this office.

LADY wishes to recommend excellent young General; strictly honest and capable.—C 1845, this office. 22 D

SETTLED country Girl seeks situation, gentleman's small family, General or House Parlourmaid; long discharges. Address "Z 4411, General," this office.

TWO respectable Girls wish situations together as Generals; good experience; wages expected £18. Address "Z 4326, Girls," this office. 20 C

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PARLOURMAID, experienced, wishes engagements, Teas, Dinners, etc.—C 1692, this office. 20 B

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PLANT now Early Crimson or Giant Red Rhubarb, 7/- dozen extra strong 10/-, carriage free.—Power, Oaklands, New Ross. 23 D

PLANT now Best Early Cabbage, 2/- 100, 10/6 1,000, carriage free.—Power, Oaklands, New Ross. 23 D

PLANT now Royal Sovereign or Laxton's Fillbasket Strawberry, 7/6 100, carriage free.—Power, Oaklands, New Ross, Wexford. 23 D

WANTED, supplies of Golden and Silver Variegated Holly, also Smooth Leaf Green Red Berried; best prices and prompt payments. Send samples to Joseph Medcalf and Son, Smithfield Market, Manchester. 24 20

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BREEDING Cockerels, famous strains, R. I. Reds, Wyandottes, Leghorns; from 15/- each.—Medcalf, Cooleven, Clondalkin. 20 D

BEAUTIFUL large Roasting Fowls, 6/6 pair; heavy Boilers, 6/- pair; splendid fattened geese, 8/- each; trussed, post free, cash.—Miss Connolly, Steeple View, Rosscarbery. 22 D

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CHICKENS—Seven Rhodes, six White Leghorns, four months; mixed pullets.—C 1817, this office.

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EXCELLENT, large Table Fowl, 6/- pair; heavy Boilers, 5/9; splendid house fed Geese, 10/- each; trussed, carriage paid, cash.—Miss Julia Conby, East Rock, Rosscarbery. 22 D

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PULLETS and Hens lay with pleasure fed on Lay Most Laying Meal, the complete food of Biscuit Meal, Meat, Alfalfa, and Sussex Ground Oats, 3/- 14lbs.; Poultry Mustard, fresh ground, 8d. lb.—Ravensdale Mills, Dublin. 31 X

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TWO pure bred Rhode Island Cocks; 15/- each, 10/- the pair.—Hepworth, Clonsilla. 19 A

TURKEY Cockerels, £2 15/- free; White Leghorn Cockerels, March hatched (Snowden), 12/6; Fawn and White I.R. Drakes (Tallent), 10/6; White Aylesbury Drakes (Cavanagh), 10/6; all birds Department ringed. Stamp reply.—Mrs. O'Brien, Philipstown Cottage, Cappawhite, Tipperary.

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WANTED, quantity of Rabbits, trapped and netted; also Game as in season.—Kinmonth and Sons, Cork. Estd. 1850. 24 31

WHITE Austrian Turkey Cock for Sale.—"Overton," Dundrum. 23 D

WYANDOTTE Cockerel (Strong's), March, 10/-; Leghorn Hens, young, 5/-; Clucking Hen.—3 Glenageary Hill, Glenageary.

6 DOZEN new laid Eggs weekly, 3/9 dozen, free Dublin; Game Cock and Hen, White Wyandotte Cock, 12/6 each. Address "Z 4408, Eggs," this office.

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AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

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WOMAN AND HER HOME.

BUYING CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

"COME and buy your Christmas presents," said a woman in the tram the other day to her friend. "Christmas presents! Already?" came the startled response—"Why, it's . . . let me see, four! no, five weeks till Christmas. What on earth is the hurry?" "There is no hurry," answered the other woman, "but you must admit that it is far more sensible and satisfactory to shop now, when the shops are comparatively empty, than to wait till the last second when the attendants are run off their feet, and one has to wait hours before getting near the counter."

All who work in shops, no matter what commodity they sell, as long as they cater for what is known as the "Xmas trade" are anxious to serve "present buying" folk now. The goods are all in, and there is time for customers to make their purchases in ease. Far too often we procrastinate and dash off to the shops on the last days before Christmas, and get tired and dispirited because all the world and his wife seem to be out shopping, too! Then again, as we approach December the twenty-fifth, the goods get tossed about or mislaid and often dirtied in the crush—or the most attractive novelties are sold out. "If only the public would realise what it means for us, I am sure they would do their shopping earlier," said one shop assistant. "The days before Christmas are a positive night-mare, and many a time we have to let customers leave the place dissatisfied because no one has time to serve them properly."

The wisest plan is to make a list of those to whom you intend making gifts. Add opposite their names a list of possible presents and the amount you intend to spend approximately on each. Remember that it is not the intrinsic value of the gift that counts. A tiny remembrance that fills a want and reveals itself as the outcome of kindly thought and observance, will give a great deal more genuine pleasure than a "white elephant" costing twice as much or more. Men are proverbially difficult to please.

Unless you are absolutely sure of his taste in tobacco, it is asking for trouble to give him cigarettes or cigars, and, above all, never choose his pipe. Again, unless you are certain of his style of dressing, it is risky to make him an offering of ties or socks—men are strange creatures in many ways! If he is artistically inclined, a picture or some music may prove acceptable, or should he possess a gramophone a good record or two is sure to be appreciated. If he has any special hobby some "gadget" connected therewith is about the best investment of all.

Very particular attention must be paid to those gifts that you are sending far away. Apart from sentimental reasons, care should be taken to choose articles suitable to the climate, to carriage, of correct weight, and not too bulky in size. Every little detail means so much more to those away from home at Christmas that if we spend more thought and effort, and even money, we must feel fully justified. If possible, get the firm that supplies you to do the packing up of your parcels for abroad, as no matter how good you may fancy yourself at it, the man who is at the job all the year round, and has all the necessary appurtenances close at hand, must be better. Never send foodstuffs of any kind to a distance, and avoid sending "coals to Newcastle"—as, for instance, a jade necklace to China or moccasins to Canada, both very acceptable at home, but not to those places from whence they came.

It is quite a good plan for several members of the family to club together and give one big gift, with which the recipient may be more pleased than several little ones. These business-like methods applied to Christmas shopping will make all the difference between feeling disappointed and weary when the day comes, or feeling that your efforts have been crowned with success and everyone is satisfied with his or her gift.

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CHRISTMAS FARE.

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Plum puddings and cakes are better made some time before Christmas. The sooner the work is done the better, and the following recipes will be found useful:—

PLUM CAKE.

Ingredients — ¾lb. flour, ¾lb. sugar (brown), ¾lb. butter, 8 eggs, ¾lb. raisins, ¾lb. currants, ¼lb. almonds (chopped or shredded), 6 ozs. orange and lemon peel, 2 ozs. citron peel, 1½ teaspoonfuls cinnamon, 1½ teaspoonfuls ginger, ¾ teaspoonful mixed spice, ¾ teaspoonful baking powder, almond paste.

Method—Cream the butter and sugar, add the spice, then the flour alternately with the beaten eggs. Next add the fruit which has been prepared. Beat well, and, lastly, add the baking powder. Bake in a moderate oven from three to four hours.

N.B.—Double quantity of currants may be used if liked.

ALMOND PASTE.

Ingredients—3 ozs. icing sugar, 6 ozs. ground almonds, 3 ozs. castor sugar, 1 new-laid egg or yolk only, lemon juice to taste. Flavouring—Maraschino, orange flower water, vanilla, essence of almonds, and natafia.

Method—Pass the icing sugar through a hair sieve, add almonds and castor sugar, add the eggs and flavouring to taste. Mix thoroughly together, and it is ready for use.

PLUM PUDDING (PLAIN).

Ingredients—6 ozs. breadcrumbs, ¾lb. muscatel raisins, 6 ozs. suet, ½lb. currants, 1 oz. lemon, orange, and citron peel, 4 eggs, ½ teaspoonful salt, ½ glass brandy, 2 ozs. almonds.

Method—Mince suet very finely; mix with breadcrumbs, add raisins, stoned and cut through; peel, cut finely; currants, washed and dried; and the salt. Moisten with the well-beaten eggs, and, lastly, the brandy. Boil in a greased mould or basin for at least six hours.

PLUM PUDDING (RICH).

Ingredients—1½lb. raisins, 1lb. currants, 1lb. 2 ozs. suet, 1lb. 2 ozs. breadcrumbs, 2¼ ozs. citron peel, 3 ozs. orange peel, 3 ozs. lemon peel, 2 ozs. sugar, ½ nutmeg, ½ teaspoonful cinamon, ½ teaspoonful salt, ½ gill brandy, 2½ gills port, ½ gill rum, 7 eggs.

Enough for 20 persons.

Method—Mix all the dry ingredients together, add the liquid, mix well, put into two basins or quart moulds, boil for eight hours.

N.B.—If puddings without alcohol are preferred add the equivalent in milk, nearly 1 pint.

MINCEMEAT.

Ingredients—1lb. raisins, 1lb. currants, 1lb. grapes, 2lb. apples, ½lb. citron, ½lb. orange peel, ½lb. Demarara sugar, pinch of salt, ½ teaspoonful cinnamon, juice and rind of 1 lemon, 1 tablespoonful brandy.

Method—Stone the raisins, skin and stone the grapes, wash the currants, peel and core the apples. Chop all finely, except the currants, which should be added last, with the cinnamon, sugar, salt, grated lemon rind and juice and brandy; mix well together, put into glass jars. Cover and store in a dry place.

Note.—The grapes are substituted for the suet to make the mincemeat more digestible.

MINCE-PIES.

Ingredients—1lb. mincement, ½lb. puff pastry (see below).

Roll the pastry very thinly and cut into rounds. Take half of them, brush round near the edge with egg, put a little mincemeat in the centre of each, cover with the remaining rounds, joining the edges neatly. Put in a baking sheet and cook in a quick oven for about twenty minutes.

PUFF PASTRY.

Ingredients—½lb. flour, ½lb. fresh butter, pinch of salt, about 1 gill water.

Method.—Rub 1 oz. of the butter into the flour, make a hole in the middle and pour in water gradually, working it into a stiff paste. Leave for a few minutes. Press out the butter in a floured cloth to a square shape; flour well. Roll out the pastry to a long shape, three times the length of the butter and twice as wide. Place the butter in the centre, fold over the pastry, join the top and bottom, then roll over the sides. Press with the rolling pin, turn over, roll out thinly to a square, fold in three, sideways, roll out a little longer, fold in three, beginning from the top. Leave in a cool place for ten or fifteen minutes, roll out twice more in the same way.

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CUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH. (The Supreme Court of Justice.)—At 11 o'clock. For Hearing—Workmen's Compensation Act, Holland v. Hennessy.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice)—Before the Chief Justice—In the Court of Appeal, at 10.45 o'clock—In Lunacy. Petitions—52nd Section, A. Carroll; 15th Section, Findlater and Co. At Chambers—Murray, Minors; Darlington, minors; Talbot, a minor. In Lunacy—Before the Assistant Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Statement, James O'Brien; do., M. J. Kierans; do., James Robinson; Summons, Henry and Son; do., T. T. Mecredy; do., Lane-Joynt. Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock— vch. ac., O'Keeffe and Lynch; do., Fottrell and Son; do., Montgomery and Chaytor; do., G. Green. At 2.30 o'clock—For directions, F. J. Kelly. Chief Justice's Chambers—Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Dyas, a minor; Westropp, a minor; Calwell, a minor; Milne, Minors. Before Dr. Webb, at 11.30 o'clock—Lecky, a minor.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS The High Court of Justice)—Court No. 1—Before Mr. Justice Meredith, at 11 o'clock. Petition—Urlingford Co-operative Agricultural and Dairy Society, Ltd., and Industrial Societies and Companies Acts. Motions—Keohane v. Colnan; Finlay v. Finlay; O'Shea v. Lynch; Cunningham v. Meehan; Morgan v. Roe; Same v. same. At Chambers—Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Walsh; to be mentioned; Irvine v. Association for the Housing of the Very Poor; Hoey, decd., O'Rourke v. Hoey; Ryan, decd., Forde v. Leonard; Ryan, decd., Ryan v. Ryan.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.—The cases listed for this day will be taken later in the week. Wednesday, 3rd December. Adjourned into Court—Co's Act and Motor Hirage and Sales Co., Ltd.

IN COURT 3—Ex Parte Motions—Crown Side. On Notice—Attorney-General v. Cook and others; the King (Thomas) v. H. D. Conner, Esq., K.C., Circuit Judge of County Cork (E.R.); The King (Alexander) v. H. D. Conner, Esq., K.C., Circuit Judge of County Cork (E.R.); the King (Acton) v. the District Justice in and for the Court District of Rathfarnham, County Dublin; the King (Ryan) v. the County Court Judge of the County of Kerry and the District Justice in and for the said County; the King (Ward) v. Mark Cooper, Esq., K.C., Divisional Justice, Police District of Dublin Metropolis; the King (Bolger) v. the District Justice in and for the County of Waterford; the King (Stein) v. the Special Commissioners of Inland Revenue. Reference by way of Case Stated—The Attorney-General (Superintendent Denis Connolly, Civic Guard), complainant; Bridget McInerney, defendant—Case stated by the District Justice of County Clare. Case Stated—The Attorney-General (Superintendent O'Halloran), complainant; Rooney, defendant—Case stated by the District Justice County Dublin. On Notice—Offaly County Council v. Ravenhill and others.

MICHAELMAS SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—All City Jurors, special and Common, summoned to the Michaelmas Sittings for Trials by Jury on this (Monday) morning, are required to attend at 11 o'clock at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, in Court No. 4, where the respective Panels will be called over; and all Jurors not answering their names when called, will be fined, and will, after termination of the Sittings, be summoned again as Jurors to whatever Court may first require their attendance. By Order, The Associate. In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. For Judgment—Howard v. Bergin, O'Connor and Co. City Common. For Trial—Tomkins v. Murphy and others (conspiracy). For Tuesday, 25th November. City Common.—O'Meara v. O'Meara (probate). For Wednesday, 26th November. City Special—O'Shea v. Southern Star, Ltd., and another (libel). City Common—Stenson v. Conway (seduction); Flynn v. Dublin Corporation (personal injuries); same v. same (negligence).

COIMISIUN CUIRTEANNA DHAIL EIREANN CRIOCHNU GNOTHA (Dail Eireann Courts (Winding Up) Commission).—Before the Chief Judicial Commissioner and Mr. Commissioner C. Kenny, in Court No. 1, Dail Courts Commission Buildings, Caislean Bla Cliath, at 11 o'clock. For Hearing—Edison Swan Co. v. White and Son; Bandon Town Commrs. v. Trustees of Bandon Town Park Fund. For Tuesday, 25th November. Appeals. For Hearing—Gibney v. Gibney; Dublin Corporation v. Hill; same v. Stedman; same v. Griffin; same v. Wolohan.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice). Dublin Circuit. Before Mr. Justice Dromgoole, Circuit Judge, at 11 o'clock—Criminal Cases (continued). County Jurors summoned to above Court will be required to attend on this day (Monday), 24th November. City Jurors need not attend until to-morrow (Tuesday), 25th November.

Chambers No. 1 (Room 38).—M'Cann v. Scallan; National Bank, Ltd., v. Edwards; Dobson v. Gilroy; Tighe v. Tighe; Rogers v. Howard; Corrigan and Wilson v. O'Neill; Fox v. Fox. At 12 o'clock—Cullen v. Gallagher. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Cummins v. Crean; Hungerford v. Hungerford.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock—Christopher Friery, a bankrupt, J. Clark and Co.; Ni Bhriain v. Mulligan, G. V. Maloney; Connell to Downes, N. J. Downes and Co.; M'Master v. Sullivan, A. W. Gloves; M'Master v. Sullivan, Franks and Oulton. Master Denning, at 11 o'clock—Bradshaw and anor. to Smyth, W. Smyth and Son; Bradshaw to Smyth, W. Smyth and Son. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Keoppock v. Owens, A Steen; Hanly v. Butler, J. A. Doyle; Blackburne's Trusts, S. S. and E. Reeves and Sons.

RECEIVER OFFICE.—Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock. Receiver's Account—Grace M. Nelson and ors., re-entry, Whitney, Moore, and Keller; Thos. Conolly and ors., from 20th inst., H. G. Cooper; Peter A. Sinnott estate, from 20th inst., H. Kelly; Irish Land Commn. v. Waldron, from 17th inst., A. Rolleston.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Clerk, at 11 o'clock—Murphy, veh. ac., J. J. Early; Phelan, do., Little, O hUadhaigh, and Proud; Reilly, do., J. J. M'Donald; Young, do., Horan and Devine; arrangt., do., Hamilton and Craig; Hourican, pr. dts. and vch., W. V. Seddall; Doherty, reference, Scallan and Co.; Greally, vch. ac., Collins and Son; arrangt., reference, J. Moran; Mulvey, vch. ac., Collins and Son; arrangt., ac. comp., P. Glynn; do., do., Collins and Son; Yard, rulings on dts., W. G. Bradley and Son.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 11.30 o'clock —T. E. Harman (E.C. 6421) (Hogg's rent), vouch. At 2 o'clock—H. N. Ievers (E.C. 6426), discharge rulings. Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11 o'clock—John E. Walsh (S. 67), discharge rulings. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—G. S. Mansfield (E.C. 7333), vouch. Before Mr. Lees, at 11 o'clock—A. P. Foott (E.C. 6618) (Clayton superior interest), discharge rulings; A. P. Foott (E.C. 6618) (Beard's rent), vouch.

IRISH "RADIO" TRADE.

A meeting is to be held to-night at the Red Bank Restaurant, Dublin, to form an association to protect the interests of the Irish "Radio" trade.

GOLF.

FOURSOMES AT WOODBROOK.

A wet, stormy morning boded ill for the Amateur-cum-Professional foursomes at Woodbrook on Saturday, but, happily, the afternoon, if dull and threatening, was fine, though the light was very bad for those who started the second round late. The course was in very fine condition, with the greens remarkably fast for an inland links; but the scoring was unusually high, there being only two returns of under 80—79 by the Castle pair, H. E. Bell and W. Holley, in the afternoon, and by J. F. Jameson and F. Smyth in the evening.

The competition resulted in a win for the Castle, whose representatives headed the list of aggregates with 160, two strokes better than Royal Dublin, Hermitage (Dr. MacCormack and M. MacDermott) being third with 163. In the morning the winners went out in 39, and came back in 40. They were a stroke better at the turn in the evening, but required 44 home, taking seven to the home hole, where Holley, who had been getting a pull on his wooden club shots, sliced his drive on to the railway, his partner then finding the ditch with the next. Several of the other competitors had very bad holes, E. F. Kilduff and J. Martin registering 9 at the 7th on the second round, the amateur only half hitting his drive, and Martin putting the next out of bounds. The aggregates were as follow:—

	1st rd.	2nd rd.	Aggt.
Castle (H. E. Bell and W. Holley)	79	81	160
Royal Dublin (J. F. Jameson and F. Smyth)	83	79	162
Hermitage (Dr. J. D. MacCormack and M. MacDermott)	82	83	165
Co. Louth (J. S. Davis and P. O'Connor)	86	80	166
Portmarnock (B) (B. Brooke-Alder and J. Bailey)	83	83	166
Bray (C. T Wallis and J. Sullivan)	87	84	171
Waterford (P. J. O'Sullivan and M. Cahill)	88	83	171
Milltown (E. F. Kilduff and J Martin)	86	86	172
Killiney (J. F. Conan and T. Gaffney)	87	86	173
Robin Hood (P. Norton and M. O'Neill)	86	87	173
Portmarnock (A) (H. M. Cairnes and T. Shannon)	88	86	174
Foxrock (J. L. Crabbe and T. Monahan)	89	86	175
Grange (Colonel Tamplin and J. Murray)	87	88	175
Delgany (J. L. Morgan and E. Bradshaw)	87	88	175
Clontarf (C. E. Jamieson and J. Quinn)	86	89	175
Lucan (James Canty and J. Gaffney)	90	88	178
Skerries (S. N. Stafford and D. Mahony)	92	87	179
Dun Laoghaire (Dr. R. Wright and T. Travers)	96	84	180
Howth (W. Devoy and W. Nolan)	91	92	183

Tramore scratched.

UNITED SOCIETIES' ASSOCIATION.

The second annual dinner of the Dublin United Golfing Societies' Association, which was held on Saturday night in Jury's Hotel, was a most enjoyable function, and the success which attended it proved that the Association is admirably fulfilling the primary object for which it was founded by Dr. Price, viz., to bring together, through the medium of sport, in friendly and social intercourse, people of all sections in the City and County of Dublin. Every Society was well represented at the dinner, which was served under the personal supervision of the manager, Mr. Manning, and a first-class musical programme enhanced the enjoyment of the big company.

Mr. J. H. McLoughlin, in the unavoidable absence of the President, Sir James C. Percy, presided, and among those present were Dr. George Price (Hon. Secretary), General Cockburn, Senator Barneville, Sean McGarry, P. J. Laurence, Dr. Cahill, Dr. William Doolin, Dr. D. Jackson, G. Cussen, Gerald Horan, J. J. Simington, F. E. Davies, T. Coleman, T. J. Cullen, L. Hewson, T. A. Grehan, G. M. Cullen, J. McAteeny, A. E. Porte, George Hamlet, Warner Barr, Captain Pike, J. J. McGowran.

After dinner, Dr. William Doolin, in proposing the toast of the Association, said that last year they were 70 or 80 strong; that night there were over one hundred present; and that was the most eloquent tribute which could be paid to an Association such as theirs. They were the better in Dublin for having such an Association, and they were all deeply indebted to Dr. Price for the labour, skill, and even courage, with which he brought the Association through. (Applause.)

Dr. Price, in responding for the Association, said that the Association was now in existence for three years, and had been a great success. It was started in 1922 with 17 Societies. In 1923 they had 21, and this year the number had increased to 25, with the prospect that next year three more Societies would come in, the Master Tailors, Knights of the Road (Commercial Travellers), and Licensed Vintners. They were fulfilling the objects of the Association very successfully, but there were ways in which they could still further extend their activities, and he suggested that the lady golfers of Dublin might be induced to take part in their social functions. He ventured to say that, if Belfast and Cork, or any other city in Ireland, followed their lead and cared to bring their golfers together, they were prepared to meet them and give them a good game of golf. (Applause.)

Dr. David Jackson gave "Our Guests," which was responded to by General Cockburn and Mr. Sean McGarry.

Mr. Boyd (Belfast) proposed the "Winning Team" (St. James's Gate Brewery); Mr. Porte seconded; and Mr. May, who received the cup on behalf of his team, replied.

The musical items were rendered by Mr. A. Preston, Mr. J. E. Dickson, Harry Brown, Kevin Smyth, Captain Pike, and T. J. Coleman, with Mr. Lennox Braid at the piano.

HEAVY DEFEAT OF OXFORD UNIVERSITY.

Without the services of their captain Oxford University suffered a heavy defeat at Brookwood on Saturday, where the West Hill Club beat them by ten matches to two in a match by singles. The home team was led by Major C. O. Hezlet and W. A. Murray. The former player defeated A. D. Cave, the leading Oxford player, on the last green. He led most of the way, was one up at the turn, and never down. Murray played fine golf to beat J. G. Collins in the second match. The home player had a score of three under fours for the thirteen holes which decided the match. The only winners on the University side were I. H. Cockshutt and V. S. Maxwell, both of whom won on the home green.

DUNCAN AND MITCHELL LEAVE FOR U.S.A.

To complete their contract to visit the other side of the Atlantic thrice within five years, George Duncan and Abe Mitchell on Saturday sailed from Southampton on the Mauretania for New York.

JOHN BALL IN TIE.

John Ball, the veteran Liverpool golfer, again demonstrated his prowess, when, at the St. Andrews meeting of the Leasowe Club on Saturday, he returned a score of 80, to tie with H. K. Jackson for the "D. Leman" Cup, presented for the best scratch score.

A WIN FOR CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY.

The play in the match between Cambridge University and Royal Worlington and Newmarket Club at Mildenhall over singles and foursomes on Saturday was of a one-sided nature, as with the singles completed, it was impossible for the home side to win the match. The first half of the play was in favour of the Light Blues to the extent of nine matches to two, and the Club only won one of the six foursomes, so that Cambridge won on the day by fourteen matches to three.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

CLONLIFFE INVITATION RUN.

The annual invitation run of the Clonliffe Harriers took place on Saturday last from the club's headquarters at Glasnevin. The weather proved unfavourable, and may have been responsible for the relatively small turn-out of runners. The total of the field was seventy, a number which does not bear favourable comparison with the record figures of last year, when one hundred and seventeen runners took part in the outing. While it cannot be said that invitation runs have lost their popularity, it must be confessed they were rather overdone last season. We are to have but four events of this kind during the present season and it is to be hoped that the attendances at these will be more indicative of the present strength of the hare and hounds game in the metropolitan area than was the event of Saturday last. The promoting club was the largest contributor to Saturday's field, turning out thirty-eight members. The next biggest muster was that of the Harp Athletic and Cycling Club, who had twelve representatives. Other clubs represented were:—Dublin City Harriers (3), City and Suburban Harriers (10), Castlevilla Harriers (4), and Pembroke Labour Harriers (3). Dressing accomodation for the visitors was provided in the class rooms of the St. Vincent de Paul's Orphanage, by the kindness of the Rev. Superior.

With T. Bruce acting as pacemaker and D. M'Aleese as whipper-in, the field took to the open country on reaching the village of Glasnevin, and after a brisk run to the west of Glasnevin and Finglas they lined up at the latter village for the usual run-in. B. H. Bingham, of the promoting club, was expected to prove the winner, despite the fact that he has not been doing much running of late, but he went about his work in a rather too leisurely manner, and allowed about half a dozen runners to head him before reaching the bridge across the Tolka. Up to that point most of the running had been done by Nalty, of the Dublin City Harriers, with C. C. Walker, of the home club, in close attendance. Going up the hill from the river, Bingham moved into third place, but he never got nearer than thirty yards of the pair named. Nalty continued to cut out the running until about a quarter of a mile from home, when Walker came away, and, finishing strongly, won by about thirty yards, covering the mile and three-quarters in 8 mins. 53 secs. The placings of the leading finishers were as follow:—

1, C. C. Walker, Clonliffe Harriers; 2, J. Nalty, Dublin City Harriers; 3, B. H. Bingham, Clonliffe Harriers; 4, A. P. Walker, Clonliffe Harriers; 5, J. Timmons, Dublin City Harriers; 6, D. J. Galavan, Clonliffe Harriers; 7, C. F. Rothwell, Clonliffe Harriers; 8, J. Cullen, City and Suburban Harriers; 9, J. Rea, Harp A. and C.C.; 10, C. P. Kenna, Clonliffe Harriers; 11, R. Spiddil, Harp A. and C.C.; 12, D. Dunn, Clonliffe Harriers; 13, C. Foley, Clonliffe Harriers; 14, W. J. Finn, Castlevilla Harriers; 15, W. Toms, Clonliffe Harriers; 16, R. M'Sharry, Clonliffe Harriers; 17, G. R. Wisdom, Clonliffe Harriers; 18, D. M'Aleese, Clonliffe Harriers; 19, T. Galavan, Castlevilla Harriers; 20, P. Lynch, Harp A. and C.C.

In addition to prizes for the first three finishers, the club offered medals to the first novice and the first club novice. These were won, respectively, by W. Toms and R. M'Sharry, who were fifteenth and sixteenth. A gold medal offered by Mr. J. P. Finnegan for the first City and Suburban harrier was won by J. Cullen, who was eighth.

The annual smoking concert of the club was held on Saturday evening at the Red Bank Restaurant, when a large gathering of members and friends of the club, including most of those who took part in the run, enjoyed an excellent musical programme, under the chairmanship of the President of the club, Mr. Lonergan. In an interval during the proceedings the numerous prizes won during last season's club handicaps were presented to the successful competitors.

BOXING.

AT THE RING.

At The Ring, Blackfriars, on Saturday night, Teddy Baker, Bermondsey, beat Johnny Dufour, Belgium, in the seventh round of a 15-round contest.

CRICKET.

M.C.C. V. NEW SOUTH WALES.

ENGLISH TEAM SAVED BY HENDREN.

SYDNEY, November 22.

A patient innings of 75 not out by Hendren today saved the M.C.C. from utter collapse against New South Wales. As it is, they are 74 runs behind on the first innings. The home side carried their total of 242 for 7 to 271 before they were disposed of, and in reply the M.C.C. could only raise 193. At one period it was a moot point whether they would not have to follow on, but at the fall of the eighth wicket, at 121, Richard Tyldesley came along with a dashing 36 and dispelled this fear. At the close of their innings stumps were drawn for the day owing to bad light. Nearly 35,000 witnessed the play. Score:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.
First Innings.

H. L. Collins l.b.w. b Tyldesley	32
W. Bardsley c and b Tyldesley	160
C. G. Macartney c Hendren b Tate	0
T. J. E. Andrews l.b.w. b Tate	0
J. M. Taylor c Kilner b Tate	51
A. Kippax c Kilner b Tate	0
J. M. Gregory c Hendren b Tate	6
W. A. Oldfield c Hendren b Tate	1
O. E. Nothling c Chapman b Tate	12
J. Scott c Douglas b Tyldesley	0
A. A. Mailey not out	2
Extras	7
Total	271

M.C.C.
First Innings.

Hobbs c Gregory b Scott	8
Sutcliffe c Kippax b Gregory	17
Sandham c Nothling b Mailey	21
Kilner c Gregory b Scott	2
Hendren not out	75
J. W. Douglas c Gregory b Mailey	1
A. P. Chapman c Collins b Mailey	4
Tate c Scott b Mailey	13
A. E. Gilligan c Gregory b Macartney	5
Tyldesley b Gregory	36
Strudwick run out	3
Extras	8
Total	193

BOWLING.

M.C.C. (First Innings)—Gregory, 2 for 46; Macartney, 1 for 33; Mailey, 4 for 55; Nothling, 0 for 14; Scott, 2 for 37.

New South Wales (First Innings)—Tate, 7 for 74; Gilligan, 0 for 46; Tyldesley, 3 for 64; Douglas, 0 for 18; Kilner, 0 for 52.

ASSOCIATION.

SHELBOURNE LUCKY.

Interest in the meetings of Bohemians and Shelbourne never seems to wane, and the attendance at the return League game at Dalymount on Saturday was of fine proportions, notwithstanding the indifferent weather. A steady drizzle from early morning made the sod slippery, but it did not interfere with the attendance, though it made shooting and placing a matter of difficulty.

Shelbourne had to find substitutes for Wilson and Lea. Harris went up to outside right and Quigley took Lea's place on the left wing, Foley coming in at half-back to replace Harris. Bohemians were at full strength.

Shelbourne set a fast pace at the start, and successfully rushed the home defence in the opening minute, Maguire gaining the lead before the home backs realised what had happened. When Bohemians settled down matters were different, and their better methods enabled them to keep the Shelbourne backs on the move for a considerable time. The slippery sod and want of steadiness in the goal area, however, lost them several easy chances, and it was not till the period was more than half run that they succeeded in equalising. Superior half-back play on the part of Kelly and Foley enabled the visiting forward line to force matters, and misunderstanding between the home full backs proved disastrous.

Up to this point the play had been most interesting, both sides playing good football, but Bohemians, if anything, gave the more finished display, and, except near goal, were always slightly the more skilful in the matter of execution. The wing forwards got across the ball effectively, and only the alertness and resources of Daly, the visiting full back, saved several of them from being turned to account.

The game was almost fifteen minutes late starting, and this loss of time spoiled the closing stages, which were played in almost complete darkness.

Playing down the ground, Shelbourne rushed away at once, and, before the home backs were aware of it, Maguire had beaten Cannon for the opening score. Bohemians came through from the centre, and for some minutes the visiting defence were hard pressed. Kelly and Foley relieved repeatedly, but the home left wing was persistent, Murray and Willets repeatedly beating the backs, the former putting across some good centres. The inside players were too well attended to avail of most of these, and the game had run thirty minutes before Roberts got past Walsh to level up. Subsequently Bohemians were awarded a penalty, which Carter missed, and then a minute before the interval Ardiff, availing of a mistake by Kerr, regained Shelbourne's lead.

The second half was stubbornly contested, Bohemians having all the best of the exchanges. Roberts again equalised, and subsequently Brooks got a good centre of Willets' past Walsh, but the referee disallowed the goal. The remainder of the game could not be followed owing to the light.

Result:—
Bohemians 2
Shelbourne 2

THE RESULTS.

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

	Goals.		Goals.
Shelbourne	2	Bohemians	2
Bray Unknowns	2	Athlone	2
Shamrock Rovers	6	Brooklyn	1
Jacobs	6	Pioneers	1
Dublin United	2	Drumcondra	0

IRISH LEAGUE.

Glentoran	2	Portadown	1
Linfield	2	Ards	0
Cliftonville	0	Larne	0
Newry	3	Distillery	2
Queen's Island	3	Barn	2

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIVISION I.

Arsenal	0	Sunderland	0
Aston Villa	3	Everton	1
Bolton Wanderers	2	Blackburn Rovers	0
Bury	1	Preston North End	1
Huddersfield Town	0	Notts County	0
Liverpool	1	Leeds United	0
Manchester City	2	Cardiff City	0
Newcastle United	4	Birmingham	0
Notts Forest	0	Burnley	0
Sheffield United	2	West Brom. Albion	1
West Ham United	1	Spurs	0

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIVISION II.

Barnsley	3	Wednesday	1
Blackpool	1	Manchester United	1
Southampton	2	Bradford City	0
Derby County	2	Stockport County	0
Fulham	2	Coventry City	0
Hull City	2	Leicester City	1
Middlesbrough	1	Clapton Orient	1
Portsmouth	0	Stoke	0
Port Vale	3	Crystal Palace	0
South Shields	1	Chelsea	1
Wolves	2	Oldham Athletic	0

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIVISION III. (S.).

Bristol Rovers	2	Brentford	0
Charlton Athletic	2	Plymouth Argyle	1
Exeter City	0	Millwall	0
Merthyr Town	2	Bournemouth	1
Newport County	3	Norwich City	0
Bristol City	2	Northampton Town	1
Queen's P. Rangers	2	Brighton	0
Gillingham	1	Reading	0
Southend United	2	Aberdare Athletic	1
Swansea Town	4	Luton Town	1
Watford	1	Swindon Town	0

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIVISION III. (N.).

Hartlepools United	3	Ashington	0
Darlington	4	Barrow	0
Chesterfield	3	Wigan Borough	1
Crewe Alexandra	4	Accrington Stanley	2
Doncaster Rovers	1	New Brighton	0
Halifax Town	2	Durham City	1
Bradford	4	Lincoln City	0
Nelson	1	Rochdale	0
Southport	3	Grimsby Town	1
Tranmere Rovers	2	Wrexham	0
Rotherham County	1	Walsall	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Airdrieonians	3	Queen's Park	0
Ayr United	3	Falkirk	0
Hamilton	4	Dundee	1
Hibernians	4	Aberdeen	1
Kilmarnock	2	Hearts	1
Partick Thistle	6	Cowdenbeath	1
Raith Rovers	2	Morton	0
Rangers	3	St. Johnstone	1
St. Mirren	4	Motherwell	1
Third Lanark	1	Celtic	1

MOTOR CYCLING.

TRINITY SPORTING TRIAL.

Disagreeable weather conditions, combined with a course of unusual severity, resulted in a very large proportion of the competitors in the open sporting reliability trial of the Dublin University Motor Cycle and Light Car Club on Saturday last failing to complete the course. All of the twenty entrants took part in the event, but only seven of them checked at the final control, a smaller proportion than in any of the open trials held during the present season. The heavy rain which fell on Saturday morning was mainly responsible for the poor result, as it left the course in an exceptionally heavy state; but even under summer conditions it would have been difficult to maintain an average speed of twenty miles an hour between the closely placed checks, with the many observed hills that were included. Six of the hills—namely, Kilinardin, The Moorlands, Bohernabreena, Farmyard, the "Waterfall of Bricks," and the Goat Pass, were subject to the usual penalties, and there were two observed watersplashes at Kilmacanogue and Vallombrosa.

The following competitors were sent away from Terenure, in a downpour:—G.V.B. Cooke, 2¾ h.p. Sunbeam; R. H. Hill, 3½ h.p. Norton; H. G. Tyrell Smith, 2¾ h.p. O.K.; H. D. Walsh, 2¾ h.p. Cotton; V. D. Harty, 3½ h.p. Rudge; A. J. F. Moran, 2¾ h.p. Douglas; P. R. Seale, 2¾ h.p. Rex Acme; J. H. Fletcher, 3½ h.p. Triumph; C. Fry, 2¾ h.p. Rex Acme; G. Briggs, 2¾ h.p. O.K.; R. J. Montgomery, 4¼ h.p. B.S.A. and sidecar; E. J. Stapleton, 3½ h.p. Norton and sidecar; G. Burney, 8 h.p. Enfield and sidecar; D. McCrea, 8 h.p. Brough Superior; S. Woods, 8 h.p. New Imperial; J. Browne, 2¾ h.p. Raleigh; P. Murphy, 8 h.p. New Imperial; A. Robinson, 2¾ h.p. New Imperial; J. A. Garvill, 3½ h.p. Triumph; W. Colgan, 2¾ h.p. Cotton.

After taking four of the test hills in the first dozen miles, they traversed the Military road, over the Featherbed Mountain, and through Glencree to Sally Gap, the last portion being a non-stop section. Returning to the lowlands by Calary lane, a circuit from the Glen of the Downs took in the "Waterfall of Bricks." The two water-splashes and the Goat Pass were taken before leaving Co. Wicklow, and a second non-stop section between Old Connaught and Kilternan led across the slope of Carrickgollogan. The sixty-two miles ended at Donnybrook, and darkness had fallen before most of the survivors reached the finish.

Those who completed the course were:—G. V. B. Cooke, A. J. F. Moran, P. R. Seale, George Briggs, G. Burney, S. Woods and J. A. Carvill.

HOCKEY.

RAILWAY UNION (3) V. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY (1).

By a margin of 2 goals Railway Union maintained their unbeaten record on Saturday at Park avenue, and took first place in the senior League. It was most unfortunate that the recent dry spell should have broken in the early morning, and the heavy rain which fell before the game started made the ground very slippery on top.

Apart from a period of about ten minutes midway in the second half there was really very little between the teams. During this time the home team dominated the game, and making the most of the visitors' temporary lapse V. Sully put through the winning goals in rapid succession. The first was the result of a good rising drive following a penalty corner, quite a number of which fell to the winners during this spell of attack, and the second came directly from a clever pass by C. Sully, which found the centre-forward unmarked. In neither case had Heatley any chance of saving.

Up to this point the play had been wonderfully level, and was well represented by the 1-all score on which the sides changed over at the interval. For the first quarter of an hour defence beat attack, and the respective forward lines could make no impression. Then C. Sully snapped up a partial clearance of Heatley's, following a shot from V. Sully, for the opening score. Almost at once the visitors equalised, a good piece of combination by Fletcher and MacDonogh winding up by the last-named beating Leopold.

Both teams played good hockey, and considering the soft ground the pace was fast all through. The winners were just a shade more dangerous in the circle, and this combined with weakness shown by Dublin University in the second half proved just enough to turn the scale. Led by W. Chiddick the Railway half-back line got through a lot of work, their support of the forward line being very steady and accurate. For the losers, W. L. Connell was sound, and was well supported by the wing halves, but the forward line did not reach its usual level.

Teams:—

Railway Union—J. Leopold; K. Browner, K. Downey; J. Peatt, W. Chiddick, R. Williams; T. Browner, C. Sully, V. Sully, H. Sully, R. Leitch.

Dublin University—R. A. Heatley; J. H. Tuke, C. Somerville-Large; G. W. Rooke, W. L. Connell, J. P. Pigot; J. A. Leonard, J. G. Wilson, G. M. Fletcher, W. P. MacDonogh, J. Browne.

Umpires—Messrs. W. F. McDonnell and G. Richardson.

KINGSTOWN G.S. (3) v. PEMBROKE WANDERERS (0).

This Senior League fixture was played on Saturday at Tivoli terrace in dull weather and before a fair gathering of spectators. The visitors were first to attack, but McCormack sent wide from a favourable position. The School worked to the other end, where, from a free taken by F. Cook, Winder was well placed, and he opened the scoring with a fine shot. Keeping up the pressure the home forwards looked like adding to their score, but good play by Spence and O'Sullivan kept them from doing so. Pembroke Wanderers on several occasions looked dangerous, but the fine defence of F. Cook, Devlin, and Phillips prevailed. Just before the interval Martin sent in the second goal for his side. On the resumption, Grammar School returned to the attack and C. Cook finished up a splendid run by registering a third goal. Play from this to the finish was of an even character. Result:—

Kingstown G.S.—3 goals.
Pembroke Wanderers.—Nil.

Teams:—

Kingstown G.S.—Gibson; Phillips, Devlin; Felton, Cook, Marsden; Staples, Martin, Winder, Duncan, and Cook.

Pembroke Wanderers.—McNeill; Spence, O'Sullivan; Moran, Buttimer, Little; Crawford, Hall, McCormack, McDona, Stanistreet.

Umpires.—Messrs. J. S. Jackson and C. Bruton.

MONKSTOWN v. THREE ROCK ROVERS.

At Foxrock on Saturday, Monkstown defeated the Rovers by the odd goal of three. The home team were first to score, Mahony netting with a fast shot, but before the interval Leage equalised. The match was also very well contested in the second half. Only one goal was scored, and Monkstown won on the score:—

Monkstown 2
Three Rock Rovers 1

ULSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

	Goals.		Goals.
Lisnagarvey	4	North Down	1
Holywood	5	Y.M.C.A.	2
Queen's	0	Antrim	0

GAELIC GAMES.

GALWAY'S ONE-POINT VICTORY. ROUSING GAME AT CROKE PARK.

(BY PAT'O.)

To the swiftest the race! In the stiff heavy going at Croke Park yesterday the ball never travelled as it does in summer, but in every race for possession, and in every close struggle where grit was essential, the Galway men were superior. They were longer hitters, too, and stood up to the Tipperary men in a surprising way, bustling them off the ball, and beating the Munster men at their own game in defence and attack. The game developed into a test of strength and stamina. Open passages were few and far between. Beyond a few exciting charges by Tipperary in the last five minutes, they never looked like winning, and, in my opinion, they were lucky to have kept so near Galway in the final stages. A margin of five points instead of one might have equitably separated the teams, for Galway played a remarkably bright and tenacious game from the outset. That Galway's prowess was underestimated is certain, and their unexpected display yesterday makes it clear that their successes against Kilkenny and Limerick on their road to last year's championship were no chance victories.

Mr. Keneflck, of Dublin, opened the game on the stroke of 2.30. The attendance ran into 8,000 or 9,000, but was not so big as the importance of the game seemed to merit. Tipperary played with a strong wind behind them, and attacked at once. O'Mahony saved coolly in the Galway goal, and exciting though indecisive exchanges at midfield followed. The pace was fast, and the players marked so closely that any open and spectacular striking was out of the question. Galway backs were splendid. Derwan brought off several saves, and he was well supported by Gilmartin and Kenny, the Galway captain. Ten minutes of rather crude hurling followed before Hayes drove a Tipperary point through from a free. Gibbs was wide with a fast shot before Hayes added another point for Tipperary when eighteen minutes had gone. Galway played with great spirit against half a gale, and had quite as much of the game as Tipperary. Harney seemed to have a roving commission for Galway. He is a fast and a very clever hurler. He had a free placed for him at half way, and he drove the ball into the goalmouth. Kelly dribbled past Leahy, and though O'Mara had ample time, the ball deflected off a rough bit of ground and passed over his hurley into the goal. This soft score set Galway in the lead. Very soon Donnelly had a free for Tipperary and Cahill got through for a point. Tipperary were very aggressive now, and only the brilliant hurling of Derwan and Gilmartin kept them out. The Munstermen went into the lead, scoring a goal and a point from a series of determined attacks, and an overhead double by Nagle completely beat Mahony in the Galway goal. So robust was Galway's defence that Tipperary seemed lucky to turn over with a 5 points lead. Half-time:—

Tipperary .... 2 goals 3 points.
Galway .... 1 goal 1 point.

Galway had a strengthening wind behind them in the second half, and immediately set about using it. They were the faster, younger and more enthusiastic team. Indeed, they hurled like champions in this second half-hour. Derwan seemed to make light of any Tipperary raids, and the aggressive, long-hitting Galway men were fighting for scores from the re-opening. Darcy, Leahy and Donnelly had a busy time, and O'Meara brought off a few typical saves before Morrissey got through very cleverly for a goal, setting Galway within two points of the leaders. The Western hurlers were now in a winning mood, and they were all over Tipperary. M'Grath, on the right wing, was fast, clever and cool. He tried O'Meara with successive shots, and the Toome man saved twice though giving away a seventy yards. Harney was now in his element for Galway. He was always dropping the ball into the area. Darcy came round repeatedly to save, but Gibbs had an opening on the left. He snapped the leather up like lightning and crashed the ball elbow high from forty yards out. O'Mara was beaten; the ball was behind him in the net, and Galway were a point ahead, with seven minutes to go, and a strong breeze to aid them.

It is only fair to Tipperary to say that they put up a great fight during the ensuing minutes. Leahy, Moloney and Cahill hurled stoutly, and they occasionally made raids on the Galway goal. These were spasmodic efforts only, for seven-eighths of the game was now in Tipperary territory. Gerwan, Kenny, Harney and M'Grath were playing a slashing game, and, had the Galway forwards been steadier, they must have amassed a big number of points. O'Meara was continually pucking out from the Tipperary goal, and he had all his wonted coolness during a trying time behind a beaten team. Just before the end Power got away for Tipperary, and an exciting crashing passage resulted around Galway's posts. But the Connaught men were masters of the situation. They were the heavier, more resolute and collected team. Had Tipperary rushed that goal and beaten O'Mahony Galway would have been the most unlucky losers that ever finished an exciting hour's hurling. Tipperary were very disappointing right through. They seemed shadows of the Tipperary teams of the past. They took all their frees wretchedly, and instead of manning their wings crowded into the centre like an inexperienced fifteen. Galway's strength and resolution, associated with good tactics at midfield and wings, made them deserving winners. Final score:—

Galway—3 goals, 1 point.
Tipperary—2 goals, 3 points.

Teams:—

Galway—Kenny (capt.), Power, Derwan, Harney, Kelly, King, Fleming, Mahony (goal), Morrissey, Morise, Gilmartin, Gibbs, M'Grath, Garvey, Keogh.

Tipperary—Leahy (capt.), O'Meara (goal), O'Donnell, Nagle, Spillane, Dwyer, Kennedy, Power (2), Moloney, Duffy, Darcy, Hayes, Cahill Fitzpatrick.

At Terenure, in the Dublin Hurling League, yesterday forenoon, Dublin U.C. hurlers met Kickhams in the Senior League. The visitors had all the better of the game, running out scorers, per Holland, Aylward and Hanlon. In the last few minutes Darcy scored for D.U.C., but they were well beaten in a ragged hour's hurling.

Kickhams—2 goals, 2 points.
Dublin University College—1 point.

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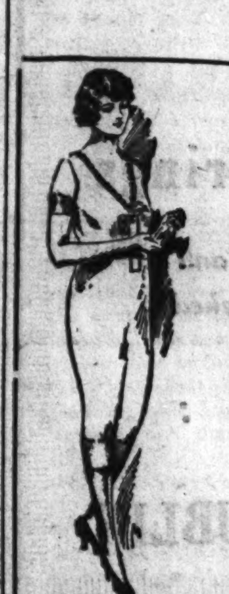

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TRADITIONS AND TESTS: THE VALUE OF RECORDS.

Of the fiddle wizardry of the famous Nicolo Paganini legends started up even in his lifetime. Like Joachim and Kreisler after him, he made his first public appearance before the age of ten, and was hailed as a prodigy. It was, however, at his later re-appearance that he astonished Europe by his marvellous execution, so that while for one part of the public of the Continent the latest movement of Napoleon was the subject of talk, another part exchanged notes concerning the achievements of this man who was conquering in quite another field.

Sight of the weird, gaunt figure of Paganini encouraged the excited crowds which pressed to his recitals to give credit to the stories which began to run from mouth to mouth. Old legends of musicians who made bargains with the devil to obtain unearthly skill at their instruments were attached to his name. Mysterious attributes were given to the fiddle that he handled: it was said that he whispered to it and it responded with sounds which could not have been compassed by the hands of a man.

Paganini's Triumphs.

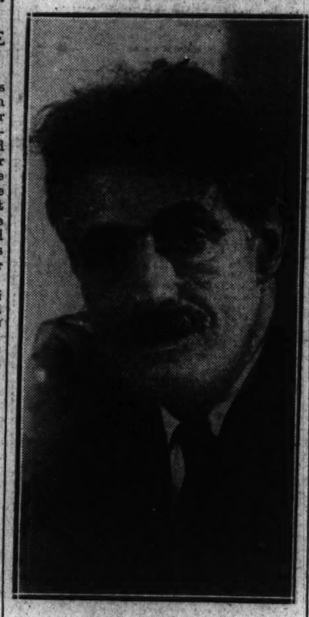
Paganini wrote for his own performances music which contained more abundant difficulties than were to be found even in the music of those Italian masters whose compositions had been considered by his predecessors to be quite baffling enough: yet it was believed that he played music which no hand could pen. He lived till 1840, and travelled cities in Europe where accustomed recorders of musical performances set down their impressions of his playing in the journals of the day; but the public imagination went far beyond these records and has left a tradition of Paganini's skill which is more like a tradition from the time when "black magic" was believed in by men of the world as much as by the ignorant masses than the reputation of a public performer of less than a century ago. The greater the number of actual witnesses of his accomplishment, who might have been expected to be a check on wild tales, the more excited, on the contrary, did the account of his wizardry become.

It is a case where written words are of small value as a record. All that we can read of Paganini's triumphs amounts to no more than that he astonished his hearers, critical as well as general, by a brilliance of execution that went far beyond that of any other performer on the violin in his day; and there is, in addition, some indication that an extraordinary personality—something magnetic in his personality, beyond the mannerisms which could be noted in so many words—exercised an influence over all who encountered him.

Was his skill, one often wonders, greater than that which has been attained by some noted violinists since his time? Even if his skill were greater, was the effect really more wonderful than performances which have been given in later years? In the meantime, methods of playing have been thought out more carefully. It cannot be said that better violins have been made—the greatest players still use the instruments of the celebrated old Italian makers—but the bow has certainly been improved. Men have come to the front who have certainly not lacked a genius for their art. Are we to believe that, with certain advantages over Paganini, they have not produced equally wonderful results?

Records Compared.

The questions can never be answered, for there are no means of comparison. Persons who heard Paganini in their youth and afterwards heard the *virtuosi* of a later generation would have had their imaginations coloured by the circumstances and by the pervasion of that tradition of wizardry which has been recalled above. Besides, people are apt to think that nothing could possibly be equal to some wonder encountered in earlier years. As regards the recorded opinions of critics, there, also, we must question standards. Were those who heard Paganini as exacting as we are to-day, who hear so much violin-playing that deserves to be considered as in the first class?



Kreisler.

If only we had now some means by which an actual piece of Paganini's playing could be reproduced, we could sit down and compare, and judge as between the performer on the one hand—not a reputation based on a standard to which we have no touchstone—and the noted executants of our own time on the other hand.

It is when we pose such a situation that we realise the value and interest contained in the material and mechanism for recording and reproducing that is now latant. True, even here comparison with the recent past is not quite true. The mechanism was not perfect in the early days of the recording of musical performance. Great advances have been made in the methods and materials for the taking and preservation of records. Now, however, when hearing reproduced through a good gramophone instrument the record of a musical performance by one of the great *artistes* of the day, one feels that something very near perfection has been reached. It ought to be possible a generation or two hence to make fair comparison between the voice and methods of Galli-Curci or Tettrazini and whatever *prima donna* shall come to world-wide celebrity a generation or so hence.

Past and Present.

Such a line of thought concerning one aspect of the importance of sound-recording apparatus as applied to the refined sound of music is stimulated by perusal of a new catalogue issued by the Gramophone Company. This catalogue is in three parts, the first referring to performers and public men who have passed away and can never be heard again in *propria persona*; the second referring to men and women of similar standing, but still living, whose recorded utterances and performances will certainly have in the future a similar interest. "Where tradition could only speak with an uncertain voice," it is remarked in the preface to the catalogue, "the gramophone will recreate the past with absolute fidelity."

Concerning the older records, it is admitted that those dating from the early days of the recording business are imperfect, technically, compared with those made to-day by improved modern processes. "In the ordinary way they would have been withheld from circulation, but being of such interest and importance it is felt that they should still be preserved for the enjoyment of the public." The third part of the catalogue refers to the gramaphone as a recorder of general history, apart from music.

In the first part of the catalogue are included records made in 1905 of recitations by Sarah Bernhardt; records made between 1902 and 1912 of Caruso's singing of a wide repertory of Italian opera; a 1903 record of Grieg's pianoforte playing; a series of records made in 1906 of Patti's singing in *arie* and ballads (could we but have had Jenny Lind beside her!); records, also from the early years of the century, of Santley, of Tamagno, and of some noted actors of that time.

In violin music, which specially interests us in this article, we note a 1907 record of Joseph Joachim (who died in that same year) in a Hungarian dance of Brahms, and some 1904 records of Pablo de Sarasate, who played for the gramaphone his own "Zigeunerweisen." Turning now to the second part of the catalogue, we find that with these noted violinists of a generation already gone we can compare the earlier records made almost within half a dozen years of the others, by Kreisler and Kubelik. Only modest efforts were made in those years. The pieces recorded were usually quite short, and a rather tinkling pianoforte accompaniment detracted from their value.

Kreisler's Records.

To-day, of course, one can hear the *artistes* of the world on the gramaphone and compare them one with another—a form of comparison secondary in interest only to that which will now, be increasingly possible, comparison between the great *artistes* of different periods. Kreisler himself has made many fine records since the day, thirteen years ago, when he first stood before the microphone. And now that recording and reproduction have come to such a pitch of efficiency, the great violin *concertos* can be heard with their proper orchestral background and support—heard, moreover, not merely in towns where orchestral performances are rare (for Kreisler and other soloists are heard only with pianoforte accompaniment by the majority of those who hear them personally), but in any house where the necessary instrument is kept, that instrument being anything from a handsome piece of furniture to a portable affair that can be placed on the table.

It is gain, one would say, to replace the fantastic tradition of Paganini by faithful records of the actual accomplishments of the *virtuosi* of to-day.

SOME STORIES OF KREISLER.

"SIX feet high and brawny to boot, with military erectness, with something of military imperiousness in the quick, flashing glance of his eye, he crossed the platform, and he did so with the mien of a captain who is about to lead his men to battle."

That is how a writer once described the appearance of Fritz Kreisler on the concert platform, and indeed that is how he strikes you—he looks the ideal of a *beau sabreur* rather than the world's finest violinst.

But then he is, of course, a military man, as well as a musician. As a lieutenant in the Austrian Landsturm, he was called up at the outbreak of the European War and was seriously wounded in the arm and leg before Lemberg in September, 1914. He was ridden over in a charge of Cossacks. "I should have been very sorry if they had taken any account of my profession," he told an interviewer afterwards in excusing his military service. "I would not have missed this experience."

Cancelled Contracts.

After his recovery Kreisler went to America, where he was always immensely popular. He remained there until the end of the war. In 1917 (after America had declared war) Press attacks caused him to cancel contracts worth 100,000 dollars.

"I have devoted friends," he said in his protest, "in London, Paris, and Petrograd, as well as Vienna. The artist is the true diplomat, the true missionary of peace. His art is the sublime God-inspired leveller of all things, and the ultimate pacifier, re-humaniser, and re-builder of a shattered world."

Such is Kreisler's belief in the divine art of which he is a master.

When the animosities of war had died down in England, Kreisler made his re-appearance in May, 1921. Any fear of an untoward demonstration against the public appearance of an ex-enemy was immediately dispelled directly he came on to the platform at the Queen's Hall. A crowded house gave him an hysterical welcome. He was received with extravagant homage, and he was handed laurel wreaths at the close of the performance. He received this hero worship with characteristic dignity, and finally dismissed the cheering audience with the words—"I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your welcome. I am too *émotioné* to play more. I cannot."

His Early Days.

His playing on that occasion proved that the trials of war and the passing of years had not marred his superb powers since his pre-war appearance.

Kreisler is a curious example of genius. As a boy he had little taste for music, and he found practice very little to his liking, though he once declared that he could not remember the time that he did not have a violin in his hands. His earliest ambition was to be a tramway conductor!

However, he succeeded in gaining the gold medal of the Vienna Conservatoire as well as the first violin prize at the Paris Conservatoire and the Prix de Rome. Then for four years during his service as a conscript he never touched the violin. Yet, when he took up playing again his mastery was unimpaired.

Unlike many players, he does not engage in daily practice. "I hypnotised myself into the belief that I do not need it," he once told an interviewer, "and therefore I do not."

Yet his capacity for work is enormous, and his musical memory is amazing. Once when he was due to play in London he arrived late for the rehearsal and without his violin. To allay the fears of the orchestra who had dire misgivings as to what might occur without a rehearsal, Kreisler calmly seated himself at the piano, and played the solo part from memory, illustrating in detail the features of his interpretation.

World Tours.

Kreisler often travels something like 25,000 miles a year—over Europe, then America. Very often he has played to audiences varying from 4,000 to 8,000. "I like these big auditoriums in America," he said. "I am far less nervous before thousands of people."

Kreisler once told an interviewer that one of his artistic ambitions was to do something for the young generation of musicians, to help young violinists, and to give new composers a chance of playing and popularising their works. "In a few years' time I hope to show what I can do in this way," he declared.

Besides being an executant, he is also a composer. He has composed a Peace Symphony, and in 1919 he wrote the music to an operetta of the characteristic Viennese type, called "Apple Blossoms," which was produced in New York.

PERFORMING RIGHTS.

MUSICAL QUESTION IN COURT.

Mr. Justice Tomlin continuing the hearing in the Chancery Division, London, on Saturday, of the action brought by the Performing Right Society, Ltd., for an injunction to restrain Mr. John Coates, the well-known tenor, from singing songs of which they owned the performing rights without their permission.

Mr. Coates asserted that there was a custom in the musical trade that when a publisher sent a singer a "professional" copy of a song it was accepted on both sides as an invitation to the singer to perform it in public, for the purpose of popularising it. He had received such authorisation in respect of the songs in question, and it had never been revoked.

Mr. Plunket Greene said that he regarded the receipt of a professional copy as an invitation to sing the song. Apart from the plaintiff society he had never received a demand for payment.

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OPERA IN DUBLIN.

CLOSE OF CARL ROSA SEASON.

The Carl Rosa Opera Company concluded its three weeks' season in Dublin last Saturday night. It has gone to Belfast, where "Carmen" will be given to-night, and other operas during the week.

In Dublin the company has had an eminently successful season. At seven performances a week, for three weeks, the Gaiety Theatre has been filled, while night after night scores, sometimes hundreds, of people who had not booked seats in advance, or did not take an early place in the queues, were turned away. No addition was made to the ordinary theatre charges, and, bearing that in mind, it must be stated that the performances generally have been of remarkably good quality. The list of operas produced in the three weeks comprised an interesting variety, and with hardly an exception the performances ranked with the best that Dublin has had from any company since the memorable Quinlan productions.

The presence of a brilliant prima donna in Miss Maud Neilson has enabled the company to give us such performances of "La Traviata" and "Rigoletto" as will reanimate Dublin's long-standing fondness for those operas, and the association with her of Mr. Ben Williams, a tenor with a beautiful quality of voice, in those two operas and in a revival of Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet," was especially agreeable. Mr. Williams was also heard in "Madame Butterfly" in association with Miss Evelyn Birks, a very lovable "Butterfly," and the performance of that opera was also interesting on account of Mr. Skalski's entirely—one had almost written "sensationally"—new management of the orchestral element. Mr. William Boland has repeated old successes in "Pagliacci" and "Samson and Delilah," and added a creditable new achievement in his part of Florestan in the interesting revival of Beethoven's "Fidelio." Miss Ethel Austen, besides raising the part of Santuzza in "Cavalleria Rusticana" from its usually subordinate regard, was heard in such big soprano parts as Aida and Leonora in "Fidelio."

With such singers as Miss Olive Gilbert, Messrs. Appleton Moore, Flintoft Moore and Fred. Clendon for the "inner" parts and Mr. John Kelly as the *basso* for the important parts in "Romeo and Juliet," "Aida" and "Samson," the company has been able to provide strong and well-balanced casts for the more important operas.

The performances have been followed with high enthusiasm by successive audiences, and a thrill reminiscent of former days of excitement over opera in Dublin was felt in the crowded theatre on many nights.

Dublin, which—though in less degree than Belfast and Derry, where his earlier days were spent—has known Mr. H. B. Phillips for many years, has welcomed the results of his advent to the control of the Carl Rosa Company.

The company presented at its closing performance last Saturday the same programme as at its opening performance three weeks ago—"Cavalleria Rusticana" and "I Pagliacci," with the same casts.

At the conclusion of the performance there was an enthusiastic demonstration of applause, and after the *artistes* had appeared before the curtain several times Mr. Phillips came forward.

Mr. Phillips said that he had come to the conclusion that if there was one thing that was changeless in this world it was Dublin's love of opera. Every night Dublin people had filled the theatre in a way that obtained nowhere else. He could not thank them adequately for the way in which they had supported the company and appreciated its efforts to give opera as it could be given at the prices that obtained now. The members of the company were all sorry that the season had come to an end. They had had a very enjoyable time and a lot of hard work, but the hardest work was to say good-bye.

Mr. Phillips announced in conclusion that the company has arranged to come to Dublin for three weeks again next year.

As a Minister I found that the Civil servant who had passed the highest in his examination was not always the best man to help me.—Lord Haldane.

There is more unhappiness and distress caused by ill-manners than by what are known as crimes.—Mr. Stacy Aumonier.

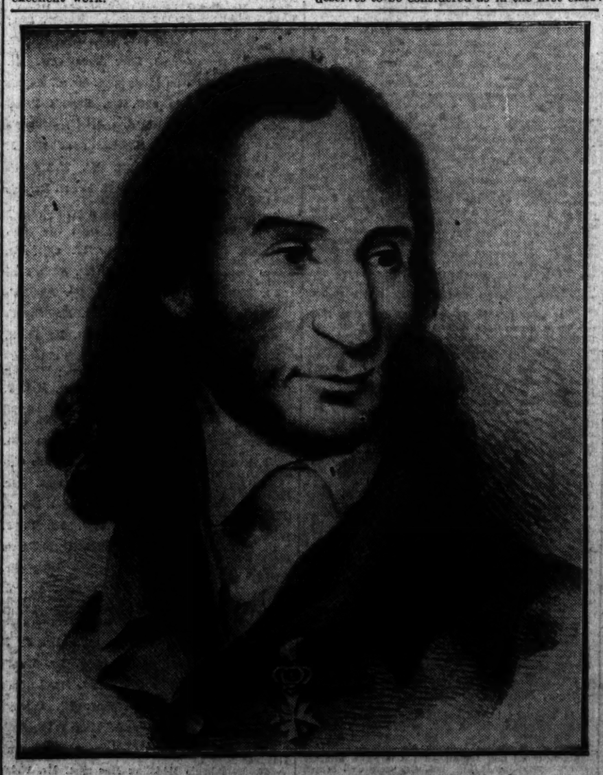
We cannot have tolerable society unless all its members, individually and collectively, are prepared to do their Christian duty to their neighbours.—Lord Eustace Percy.

LA SCALA CONCERT.

An orchestral concert, arranged in aid of the fund for the family of the late Mr. Leonard Shanahan, drew a large audience to La Scala Theatre, Dublin, yesterday afternoon.

As well as the orchestral pieces, there were contributions to the programme by a number of well-known Dublin vocal and instrumental soloists, and a well varied and highly enjoyable concert was the result.

Orchestral concerts are rare in Dublin nowadays, and it was, therefore, particularly refreshing to see assembled a body of instrumentalists some sixty in number, under Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald's direction. In the circumstances the orchestral programme had to be drawn up to comprise music which could be prepared easily, but it was all of high standard. The principal number was the first movement of Schuberi's "Unfinished" Symphony, and there were also included Beethoven's "Egmont" Overture, Wagner's "Albumblatt," the "Introduction to Act III., Lohengrin," Sibelius's tone-poem, "Finlandia," and a Serbian Dance by Sistek. Mr. Fitzgerald conducted with a firm direction, and the orchestra, led by Mr. John Moody, did excellent work.



Paganini, from an Old Print.
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A HEADMISTRESS ON "JAZZ."

Presenting the prizes, Miss Ironside, the Headmistress of the Sunderland High School, said it was astonishing that a civilised country, the home of Purcell and Byrd, should have allowed itself to adopt noises made by niggers on things that could not be called musical instruments.

She was not sure that the sickly sentimentality and tunes, which had on their covers the kind of treacly pictures one associated with the lids of chocolate, were not almost as demoralising at the crash and bang called "jazz."

Lunatics are much more sensible than people think.—Dr. J. F. Dixon.

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3.30-5.0—The Crystals Concert Party. 5.0-6.0—Children. 6.0-6.30—Mr. J. Scattergood, "Climate." 6.30-6.35—Lessons in Morse Transmission. 7.0—Weather and News. Mr. Stewart Dick. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30-8.0—Interval. 8.0—The Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra. Annette Blackwell (vocalist), John Henry. 10.0—Weather and News. Local News. 10.15—The Savoy Bands. 11.0—Close.

CARDIFF (5WA)—351 Metres.

3.0-4.0—Orchestra. 5.0-5.45—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks." 5.45-6.30—Children. 7.0-11.0—Programme S.B. from London.

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NEWCASTLE (5NO)—400 Metres.

3.45-4.45—Trio. 4.45-5.15—Women. 5.15-6.30—Children. 7.0-11.0 — Programme S.B. from London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Concert. 5.15-6.0—Children. 6.0-6.5—Weather for Farmers. 6.40-6.55—Mr. Stuart Park on "Art." 7.0-9.40—Programme S.B. from London. 9.40—Mr. John P. MacEutchison, on "The Development of the X-ray." Local News. 10.0-11.0—Programme S.B. from London.

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3.30-4.30 — Orchestra. 5.30-6.15 — Children. 7.0-10.30—Programme S.B. from London.

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4.0-5.0—The "2BE" Quartet. 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0—Weather and News. S.B. from London. Mr. Frederick Barry on "The Housing Problem. Local News. Ethel Davison (soprano), J. H. Chambers (baritone). The Station Orchestra. 7.50—Orchestra. March. "Gipsy Blood" (Kenner). Overture. "The Arcadians" (Monckton and Talbot). 7.47—J. H. Chambers. "Yeomen of England" (German). "Here be Oysters Stewed in Honey" (Fred Morton). "Chin, Chin, Chinaman" ("The Geisha") (S. Jones). 7.59—Orchestra. Selection. "The Geisha" (Sidney Jones). 8.11—Ethel Davison. "Farewell" ("The Maid of the Mountains") (Fraser-Simson). "Love, Sometimes I Dream of It" (C. H. Cutsam), "The Pipes of Pan" ("The Arcadians") (Monckton). 8.32—Orchestra. "Three Dances." "Tom Jones" (German). 8.38—J. H. Chambers. "Bachelor Gay." ("The Maid of the Mountains") (Fraser-Simson). "Star of My Best" ("The Geisha") (S. Jones). "The Cobbler's Song" ("Chu Chin Chow") (Fred Norton). 8.55—Orchestra. Selection. "San Toy" (Sidney Jones). 9.17—Ethel Davison. "The Letter Song" (Merrie England") (German). "Bohemia" ("A Happy Day") (German). "Waltz Song" ("Tom Jones") (German).

STAGE AND SCREEN.

DUBLIN PROGRAMMES.

The Gaiety Theatre will have musical comedy this week, in succession to grand opera, when "Sally," one of F. L. Moreton's and G. Heath's productions, will be presented Chief among the cast are Mr. Frank H. Dale, Miss May Ralph, Mr. Roy E. Ray, Miss Sybil Woodruffe, Mr. Hubert Ennor, Miss Sonia Mason, Mr. Douglas Dalton, and Mr. Will Henry, all of whom travelled with the production from the Winter Garden Theatre, London. The performance includes the butterfly ballet, from the music of Victor Herbert.

"Tilly," a musical comedy, adapted from Ian Hay's "Tilly of Bloomsbury," will be performed at the Theatre Royal. The lyrics were written by Bert Lee, R. P. Weston, Haydn Wood, and Jack Waller. Among the artists are Arnold Richardson, Laurence Caird, John Doran, James Prescott, Harry Hamer, Winifred Hare, Betty Hamilton, Gwen Clifford, and Maudie Dunham.

Lady Gregory's "The Image" will be performed at the Abbey Theatre. This has not been produced at this theatre since 1911. Lennox Robinson's "Crabbed Youth and Age" will also be performed. The entertainment will open at 8 p.m.

At the Olympia Theatre the revue company will perform "Spare Parts." The cast includes Randolph Sutton, the Natley Sisters, Dorothy Brett, Belle Harrison, and Frank Leigh.

Sidney Burns will present "Pranks," a musical comedy, at the Queen's Theatre. There are eight "principals" and fourteen dancers.

CINEMAS.

The Metropole Cinema's programme of pictures includes "The Great White Way," in which Anita Stewart takes the chief part.

Mary Pickford will be seen in "Tess of the Storm Country" at La Scala Theatre.

The Grafton Cinema will have a picture founded on Sir Anthony Hope's romance, "Rupert of Hentzau."

"What Price Loving Cup?" is the title of a picture which will be shown at the Grand Central Cinema.

The film version of Hall Caine's "The Eternal City" will be shown at the Carlton Cinema. Permission was obtained from the Italian Government to use castles and public buildings for the production of the picture. The cast includes Barbara La Marr, Lionel Barrymore, Bert Lytell, Richard Bennett and Montague Love.

At the Princess Cinema, Rathmines, the chief picture for the first part of the week will be "Madame Guillotine," a story of the French Revolution, in which the principal parts are taken by Lyda Borelli, A. Noveli, and K. Fabbiani. On Thursday "Afterglow" will be shown.

DUBLIN AMATEUR PLAYERS.

The Dublin Amateur Repertory Society will perform "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" (Jerome) in the Abbey Theatre next Sunday evening, commencing at 6 o'clock. Principal parts will be taken by Miss E. Beverly-Smith and Miss Sicily R. Allen, who gained distinction at the Father Mathew Feis.

THEATRICAL MATINEE.

"The Greatest Gift," a new phantasy, by Constance Powell Henderson, will be produced at a matinée in the Gaiety Theatre next Thursday in aid of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses. Also on the programme are scenes from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" (with Mendelssohn's music), which will be presented by Miss Mary O'Hea.

UNTRAVELLED LANDS.

Mr. George Lunn, the well-known conductor of tours, has issued a book on "The Adriatic Riviera," describing the unfamiliar charms of Brioni, Ragusa, and the Dalmatian Coast. In the little-explored territory here set before the reader there is a wealth of interest—rare old architecture, marvellous scenery, historical associations clinging to Fiume, Cettinje, and Sarajevo, legendary relics, tropical flora, eternal sunshine, and facilities for golf and other sports.

The book is published at 74 Wigmore street, London, W.1.

3.0—Selection. "The Gipsy Princess" (Kalman). Selection. "The Quaker Girl" (Monckton). 6.30—Weather and News. S.B. from London. Topical Talk. Local News. 10.0—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

POLITICS FOR BUSINESS MEN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In the interest of the business community of Dublin City South, I should like to add a few words of explanation to your comment in your issue of the 20th inst. on the result of last Tuesday's by-election. Your findings are that their wishes are not being consulted nor their interests getting the needful attention in the nation's Parliament, and that the pro-Treaty cause has been "cornered" by a section which denies to the business community the opportunity of nominating and electing a type of candidate that would rally their support and win the seat for stability.

These three points—consultation, attention and representation—will remain in their present condition until they are set right by organisation. Business men have got no political organisation of their own and, with few exceptions, they refuse to touch the existing pro-Treaty organisation, *Cumann na nGaedheal*. Your description of this latter as a party machine is misleading and mischief-making. *Cumann na nGaedheal* is an independent organisation on national lines, which derives its membership from every element in the community and is interested only in the maintenance of a Government based on the present Constitution and responsible to the Irish people. The door is open, now as ever, to every adult citizen who accepts majority rule, and if business men are without an organisation, and if the safeguarding of their property and homes is left to the voluntary efforts of humbler folk, the fault does not lie with the humbler folk. The *débâcle* of the 18th inst., with its endorsement of armed violence, leaves the business men no option but to organise, whether in *Cumann na nGaedheal* or on their own, to make their weight felt in public life.

I think it is true to state that the evolution of political forms has exceeded in its pace the mental evolution of our people as a whole, because of the radical changes brought about by the great World War. The clock has moved on and will never go back to the same point. Adult suffrage has come to stay, and with it a change in the centre of gravity of political power. There will be dangerous oscillations in public affairs until we have all become accustomed to the new machinery of government; but the onus lies rather on those who have certain advantages of position and training than on the newly enfranchised masses to grasp and use for the common good the power of the vote and of political organisation. They must learn to make the best of the present while waiting for things to improve or nursing the hope of the return of a social and political *régime* which can never be restored.—Yours, etc.,

JAMES J. HUGHES.

Cumann na nGaedheal,
5 Parnell square, Dublin,
November 22nd 1924.

HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In a review of the new programme for secondary schools, which was in many respects very sympathetic, Mr. Thompson, Headmaster of the High School, is reported in your issue of to-day's date to have said:—"The courses in history and geography, however, were absolutely provincial and narrow."

I am directed to say that the following are the programmes of which he has made this criticism:—

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(c) Elementary mathematical geography of the world—seasons, climate, winds, ocean currents, etc.

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(a) General outline of Irish history and of the historic relations of Ireland with Great Britain, the Continent of Europe, America and Australia.
(b) General outline of the history of Western Europe since the dissolution of the Roman Empire, including an introductory sketch of the development of the principal powers in earlier history round the Mediterranean basin, introducing any points of contact with Ireland.

NOTE.—In the Certificate Examination in 1925 the questions will be of the most general type, and will test, not a familiarity with scattered facts, but a knowledge of (1) the evolution of successive civilisations, powers, nationalities and phases of development in Europe; and (2) the general causes and effects of the greater movements in Irish history.

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In order to indicate the method of treatment and the standard of difficulty required for such a course the programme indicates how such a course might be dealt with by a school that chooses Ireland as its region for intensive study.

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An intensive course in any of the following:—

(1) Social, economic and cultural history of Ireland.
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(6) The Renaissance movement in literature and art.
(7) Architecture in Europe since the beginning of the ninth century.

—Yours, etc.,

SEOSAMH O NEILL, Secretary.

Department of Education, Dublin,
November 22nd, 1924.

THE SENSE OF HUMOUR.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—A number of good people scratched their heads when they read lately General Macready's assertion that Irishmen do not possess a sense of humour. There is nothing, however, new in the statement. Twenty years ago it might have carried with it that savour of incongruity or over-statement which is an element of humour. To-day it passes with the rotund, everyday countenance of a platitude. It is necessary to distinguish wit from humour.

Webster's Dictionary describes humour thus:—"The mental faculty of discerning, expressing or appreciating ludicrous or absurdly incongruous elements in ideas, situations, happenings or acts; droll imagination or its expression, distinguished from wit as less purely intellectual and having more kindly sympathy with human nature and often blended with pathos." The following may also be quoted from Landor:—"Humour is wit appertaining to character and indulges in breadth of drollery rather than in play and brilliancy of point."

Wit and humour have this in common—that they each have as end the stimulation or diversion of the imagination by emphasising unexpected contrasts or incongruities in ideas. They differ in this, however, that, whereas wit appeals subtly to the intellect, humour appeals broadly to the emotions. Wit may give pleasure or pain according as it is employed. Humour has for its object the giving of pleasure by amusing. Wit may be mordant or ill-natured. Humour (in the sense in which it is usually employed) is good-natured, frank and laughter-giving. Wit is verbal. Humour may reside in gesture or action. The one is a mental sparkling, the other an emotional glow. One surprises, the other warms.

The English working classes are markedly humorous, especially the Londoner. The humour of the London cabman or of Sam Weller is humour *in excelsis*. The humour of the English Tommy was probably the quality which struck observers most forcibly during the war. The English Tommy did not sing patriotic or sentimental ballads on the march, but music hall songs about Piccadilly—the contrast, not the pathos, amusing him. The nomenclature of trenches and streets was in the same ridiculous vein. Notices such as "This way to the war" revealed the same appreciation of the incongruous element in ideas. All these are instances of a disposition to discover quaint conceits in circumstances the reverse of happy. Bairnsfather's sketches are examples of this—"The Better 'Ole," "We are now living in a farmhouse," and "Wot made that 'ole?—Mice."

Of course, wit and humour often combine. The best humour is witty and the best wit is humorous. At the extremes are the buffoon (who relies mainly on action) and the wit (who relies mainly on verbal deftness). Humour has been attributed to Irish people on the strength of the writings of Lever and Lover; but the humour of these writers is their own. There is little humour in the characters of their stories. It is their stupidities or unusual behaviour which make us laugh. The fat man who slips on a banana skin does not necessarily possess a sense of humour, though an appreciation of the humour of the incident may be shown by bystanders or by a narrator of the story.

With the passing away of some of the more crude aspects of Irish life has disappeared also the subject-matter for burlesques that were accounted humour. If we but knew all, we might, perhaps, conclude that there never was any humour in Irish life, but stark tragedy—a tragedy which was hidden often under a display of boisterousness, excited as much by the infrequent appearance of a stranger as by a desire to hide from him their nakedness. Thackeray found no humour in his Irish travels; and, indeed, the humour that has been observed in former years is very close to tears. Among modern writers one may dismiss the humour of George Birmingham as entirely artificial. Anyone who knows the West of Ireland knows that these things do not occur thus. Of the writers of hunting tales one may remark that the laughter they evoke is due to the witty ladies who write them and is scarcely inherent in the essentially serious characters who perform for us.

One might sum up by saying that the Irish possess a nimble mind and a temperament that is uncertain and variable. Under the influence of his moods the Irishman uses this nimbleness of mind in turn as a rapier to hurt or destroy or as a mummer's bladder to amuse. Seldom is he humorous in the English sense. Such humour flourishes best in conjunction with a sense of well-being, a full stomach and a mind at rest. It is not, therefore, surprising that General Macready could find no signs of it.

There is no saner human quality than humour. It clarifies the mind of pride, arrogance, pretention. In its presence monstrosities of vice and cruelty cannot exist. Under its influence judgment is clearer, prejudices are dissipated and charity admitted. It is, perhaps, the greatest stabilising force in English social life. Its absence or obscuration in Russia and Ireland is a tragedy of which we are only too well aware. It is the great leveller and democratiser, the enemy of humbug and bombast, posturing and pretence. Milton's Satan would have been a very fine gentleman had he possessed it. Thackeray says of it that "it is a mixture of love and wit." We possess the wit. Have we the other ingredient? If we have, it is not too late to save our souls.—Yours, etc.,

"A. B. C."

Drogheda, November 22nd, 1924.

A BOX OF CHOCOLATES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May an old inhabitant claim the privilege of your valuable paper to tell the following fact? A young relative has sent me a pound of chocolates at various times during the year. This year they arrived safely, but three shillings was demanded by the postman. As I was not at home, the maid paid it. Had I been in the house, I should not have taken this box in; result, no more to be sent, as elderly relatives do not like their young folk to be out of pocket. A ten-shilling note was spent in the Dublin shops on gloves, or otherwise, in return, which also ceases.

Does the Postmaster-General consider that this benefits business or increases the kindliness of nature between youth and age? Christmas is near. Who will pay three shillings before they know what is inside the parcel? I may add that the box was a work of decorative art in the shape of thirty-six penny stamps affixed, instead of three one shilling stamps. I sent the wrapper to my friends in England to let them see how time is valued in our Free State Post Office.—Yours, etc.,

"AN OLD INHABITANT."

Dublin, November 22nd, 1924.

OBITUARY.

HERMAN HEYERMANS.

The death is announced, in his sixtieth year, of the well-known Dutch author, Herman Heyermans. The novels, short stories, and plays that made his name were realistic. Of Jewish origin, he excelled in the depiction of Jewish life. The play that first made his name dealt with the troubles and hardships of fisher folk.

THE REV. FATHER HUNT, O.M.I.

The death occurred, after a brief illness, of the Rev. Father Hunt, O.M.I., at St. Keven's School, Glencree, Co. Wicklow, yesterday. Having served for some years in the missionary field of Ceylon, Father Hunt returned to the Irish province, where he continued his work in Kilburn (London), Liverpool, Rock-Ferry, and Holyhead, endearing himself to all, especially the poor and unfortunate. His chief work, however, was carried out for some fifteen years intermittently among the boys of Glencree School.

BETHESDA SCHOOL.

The annual sale of work in connection with the Bethesda School, Dublin, will be held in the Molesworth Hall to-morrow. Lunch will be served from 12.30 to 2.30. The stalls will be furnished with useful and artistic articles, home-made cakes, home-made sweets and country produce. At 3 o'clock Lady Ardilaun will take the chair, when Miss Rachel Mahaffy, Honorary Secretary, will give a short account of the work and ideals of those who manage the school.

It is hoped that friends and others interested in the education of children will attend, and will help the committee to carry on this old established school.

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WHEN THE BAG WAS OPENED.

TRAGEDY AND ROMANCE.

OVERDUE KEADY LETTERS DELIVERED.

The delivery of the huge quantity of letters discovered by the police in the house of the late Thomas Sleator, of Main street, Keady, Co. Armagh, rural postman, has begun; but as the postman can take each day only what his bag will hold, it will take a fortnight or three weeks to work off the long accumulation of arrears. Among the overdue letters are some that tell of tragedy, and some that breathe romance.

The area to be covered by the letters stretches about twenty miles from near Middleton to near Armagh. The postman, who is distributing the overdue letters, had been relief for Sleator for many years.

On the first round many curious incidents occurred. One woman just inside the town was handed no less than 47 postcards addressed to her care for a young lady who left the town years ago. She does not know where to forward them.

In outlying parts of the district many of the dwellers in lonely huts have not yet heard of the find. A letter to them is something of a novelty, and their puzzled expressions can be well understood when they were given three, and in some instances more, covering long intervals of time. The postman had a difficult task to explain matters.

TIDINGS OF DEATH.

Much worse was the case when the addressee was illiterate, and the bearer of the letters had to read them to the old people. In one such case a letter four years old told of the death of an only son in Canada, and it was two years prior to this that they had had any communication from him.

The postman had many numerous experiences on his first journey, one person telling him to take himself and his trash off or he would loose the dogs on him. There were also cases of people receiving news that would have made them happy eight years ago, but which now came too late.

LETTERS FROM THE FRONT.

One young lady received thirteen communications on the first round of delivery, and six of these were postcards from a brother who was serving with the Ulster Division in France, and were posted regularly for months up to the great advance of the Ulster troops in July, 1916. Much anxiety and misery, watchful mornings for the postman's call with a hearty message and loving words to the yearning family from their lad, would have been saved if these cards had been delivered at the proper time.

ABBEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

WAR MEMORIAL UNVEILED.

A large congregation attended the Service in the Abbey Presbyterian Church, Dublin, yesterday morning, when a very handsome war memorial was unveiled by the Rev. J. G. Paton, of Malone Presbyterian Church, Belfast. Mr. Paton was a military chaplain with the Forces during the war.

Preaching from the text, "This do in remembrance of Me" (1 Cor., xi., 24), Mr. Paton spoke of the memory of one's own experience and the value of having such memorials as that which they were to unveil to men who, with thousands, slept to-day in some corner of a foreign land—a land that for ever would be England and for ever would be Ireland.

It was well for them to remember that such security and peace as they had had been bought for them by the blood and torture and by the cruel and grinding misery endured by hundreds of those they loved. Was it not worth while for them to remember that they were literally bought by the agony and suffering of those men who had given their lives for them? And should they not show their appreciation, not only of those who had passed away, but also of those who had come back to live among them?

He knew what had been said against those who came back by employers of labour, but he knew also what those men had stood—what men never before had been called upon to stand; and they could not judge them; it was a crime to judge them as many people in their self-righteousness would dare to judge them, and he was there to say in public, what he was always glad to have an opportunity of saying, that, even if they had no imagination at all, if they had no soul, no spirit, they must recognise that these men did what men were never asked to do and never thought capable of doing before, and that they never could do too much for them.

After the singing of the hymn "O love that wilt not let me go," the Rev. J. G. Paton, accompanied by the Rev. Dr. Osborne, minister of the Abbey Presbyterian Church, went to the memorial, where the words of commemoration were spoken. Dr. Osborne read the names of the fallen and Mr. Paton unveiled the tablet.

The memorial is an imposing tablet placed in an arched recess on the side wall of the church. The tablet consists of five panels, that in the centre bearing the dedication and the names of those of the congregation who gave their lives in the Great War. The upper part is filled with a vesica-shaped inset, in *opus sextile* work, executed by Messrs. Powell and Sons, of London. It is very rich and beautiful in colour and depicts a triumphant angelic figure holding aloft a wreath of bay. At the foot of the enriched border which encloses the panel the words *Deo Gratias* are inscribed. The side panels record the names of those who served in the war, the lettering being on white Sicilian marble slabs. The whole is framed in richly carved "Beers" stone and, with the exception of the mosaic panel, was executed in the workshops of Messrs. Henry Emery and Son, 17 Great Brunswick street, Dublin. Mr. R. Caulfeild Orpen, R.H.A., designed the memorial, and the work has been carried out under his supervision.

Mr. S. Kinnear after the unveiling, placed a beautiful wreath underneath the tablet, from the office-bearers, and Mr. Douglas Kinnear supplemented it with another, from the Boys' Auxiliary.

The Rev. Dr. Johnston offered the prayer of dedication, and then the organist, Mr. F. E. Egan, played the Dead March from "Saul."

The congregation joined in the singing of the hymn, "O God, our help in ages past." At the conclusion Lance-Corporal R. P. Dawson, 32nd Dublin Co. Boys' Brigade, and Lance-Corporal R. Nixon, 12th Dublin Co., Boys' Brigade, sounded the "Last Post" and the *Réveille*.

The National Anthem having been sung, the Service was brought to a close with the Benediction.

Ex-Servicemen, wearing their war decorations, were present, and were accommodated with front seats in the body of the church.

PARTITION AND TRANSPORT.

DIRECT SHIPPING TO TOWNS IN DONEGAL.

At a meeting of the Ballyshannon Harbour Commissioners it was decided to apply to the Free State Government for a grant for the improvement of the harbour.

Presiding at the meeting, Mr. James Campbell (Abbey Mills) said the foundation had been laid for a renewal of shipping on a large scale. Within the past year the people of Ballyshannon had become accustomed to the pleasant sight of ships anchored safely beside the town; workmen busy unloading them and blessing the turn of affairs which gave them a chance of earning a day's pay in their native town—a sight which they had not seen for, perhaps, fifteen years. A regular sailing service had been arranged for general cargo for the town, in common with Donegal, Killybegs and Dungloe. The sailings would be fortnightly from Liverpool and Glasgow.

When his firm started shipping flour to Ballyshannon, the railway freightage was approximately 18s. 6d. per ton from Derry; it was now approximately 8s. 6d. per ton. This showed the great boon direct shipping was. He did not thank the railway company; for it would not have reduced the rates only for the competition.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

MODEL ENGINEERS.—At a meeting of the Dublin Society of Model and Experimental Engineers, held at 25 Lower Pembroke street last night, Mr. B. A. Trampe delivered a lecture on building model power boats. He showed model boilers, engines, the method of construction, and various types of hulls, from the torpedo destroyer to the hydroplane, with particular reference to reducing weight, which is one of the essentials for these low-powered boats.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS.—Mrs. J. F. Paider, Mrs. Grenville, D. Barry, Mrs. MacNeill, M. Gahan, J. H. Wallace, H. Walkden, J. Lindon, Messrs. Strong, Beatty, Thomas, Blundell, Brabazon, Crean, N. Murray, B. H. Caws, Gahan, and G. Woods; Miss Mellanby, Miss Rudge, etc.

DEPARTURES.—Mrs. Calverwell, Arthur Sinclair, W. P. Horsburgh, Miss Flevin, H. Rose, C. D. Dodd, A. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Cuddy, E. Manahan, Mr. and Mrs. Darling, G. T. Payne, Captain McCarthy, Captain Cassidy, Miss Bland, etc.

CONNAUGHT.

COUNTRY STORES RAIDED—Rantogue, Drumshambo, Co-operative Stores have been raided by two armed men, who ordered the staff and the two customers to put up their hands. The manager's wife made a movement, and one of the raiders fired a shot over her head. The men took away some money and cigarettes.

LEINSTER.

THEFTS FROM DUNDALK SHOPS.—A window in Williamson's ironmongery shop, Francis street, Dundalk, was broken during the early hours of yesterday morning, and two shot-guns stolen. During the previous night the window of Fay's tobacco shop in Market Square was broken with a stone wrapped in cotton wool, and some small articles and cigarettes were stolen.

KING'S COUNTY ROAD STRIKE SETTLED.—The majority of the men concerned in the road strike at Philipstown, King's County, have returned to work, but the ganger refuses to go back, as his original position is not now open. A few of the men are still out in sympathy with him.

TULLAMORE AND STREET TRADERS.—Tullamore Urban Council will not in future allow itinerant vendors of clothes, with their motor vans and carts, to stand in the streets to trade. They are now confined to an area where they will cause no obstruction.

MUNSTER.

GIRLS IN KERRY PUBLIC-HOUSE.—Robert Parker, publican, Kilflynn, Co. Kerry, was, at Listowel, fined £4 for a breach of the licensing laws. Twenty-one men and fifteen girls were found on the premises.

KILMACTHOMAS UNION.—A petition to the Local Government Board for the establishment of a cottage hospital at Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford, is being signed by local people. Kilmacthomas Workhouse was closed under the amalgamation scheme.

NORTH TIPPERARY COUNCILS' MEETINGS.—The following dates have been fixed by North Tipperary County Council for quarterly meetings of the District Councils:—Nenagh, January 22; Borrisokane, January 13; Roscrea, January 15.

CORK BOOKMAKERS ARRESTED.—The offices of four Cork bookmakers were raided last Saturday afternoon and the principals and their assistants arrested. They were formally charged with betting offences and remanded on bail.

ULSTER.

BALLYBAY HIRING MARKET.—Rain somewhat spoiled the hiring market in Ballybay, Co. Monaghan, last Saturday, and bargaining was mainly conducted under cover. Wages for ploughmen ruled from £17 to £21; general farm hands, £14 to £16; young lads as assistants were in demand and were employed at from £9 to £12; girls, outdoor and indoor, £14; assistant female servants, £10 to £12; nurse maids, £8 to £10.

MONAGHAN SCUTCHERS' DEMAND.—The members of the County Monaghan Flax Scutchers' Association, at Ballybay, County Monaghan, have pledged themselves not to accept less than 1s. 6d. a stone. Mill owners are not paying any bounty this year. Some of the season's flax is yielding only two stones a peck; top yield is four stones.

Mr. Richard Comerford, proprietor of the "Fox and Goose" publichouse, Clifden, Gowran, Co. Kilkenny, died last Friday, aged 79 years.

At Carrick-on-Shannon District Court, Patrick McCafferty, motor lorry driver, was committed for trial on bail, charged with the forcible entry of the Shell Max works and the theft of 114 two-gallon tins of petrol.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

BELFAST HIDE TRADE DISPUTE.—A conference took place on Friday between the representatives of the Belfast hide markets and the trade union officials, and a settlement was reached on all points in dispute. The terms of agreement were confirmed by a meeting of the men held later, and work was resumed in all places on Saturday morning. The terms of settlement include an increase of 5s. a week in present wages, two weeks' holiday, with pay, a year, and increased pay for Bank holiday work. Casual workmen are to be paid 12s. 6d. a day.

NEWRY BOOKMAKERS RAIDED.—Last Saturday Newry police raided a number of bookmakers' offices in the town, and arrested eighty persons on charges of frequenting the places to bet. The raids were carried out in an expeditious manner. A motor vehicle dropped two constables at each office. The captives were taken to the Petty Sessions Office, where they were liberated to appear on summonses at the local Petty Sessions next Wednesday.

DERRY "B" MEN'S GOOD POLICE DUTY.—The Royal Ulster Constabulary Reward Board, Belfast, has awarded a third class record and money grant of £3 to "B" Special Constable J. Nixon, Londonderry, and a third class record and a money grant of £1 to "B" Special Constable Lindsay Moore, Londonderry. The awards were made to the two constables last night.

DRUNKEN MOTOR DRIVER.—James Greer, Ballynure, Ballyclare, was charged at the Belfast Custody Court on Saturday with having been drunk while in charge of a motor car on the previous day, and with reckless driving. The defendant pleaded guilty to the first charge. It was stated that the defendant's relatives thought that, in the interests of the man himself, the Bench should suspend his licence. The accused man was fined 40s. for being drunk in charge of the car; £5 for dangerous driving; the licence suspended until the end of its term (March 28, 1925); and the defendant disqualified from holding a licence for a further period of eighteen months.

Mark Street, Glenarm, Co. Antrim, was crushed under a falling rock in the local quarry last Friday and killed.

Londonderry's old landmark, known as The Five Lamps, in Waterloo place, has been removed to make room for improvements.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Rev. J. Harte, formerly Rector of Enniskeen, in the Diocese of Meath, has been presented with a pair of silver candlesticks on his retirement after holding the incumbency thirty years.

The curacy of St. Andrew's, Belfast, is vacant.

The Board of Nomination for the Parish of Ballingarry, in the Diocese of Killaloe, will meet shortly to nominate an incumbent.

Those who wish to secure copies of the Choral Festival Book for next year on easy terms should communicate at once with Canon Craig, St. Michael's, Sallins, Co. Kildare.

The Board of the Widows and Orphans Fund (Church of Ireland) met last Thursday. Mr. Maconchy, Chairman of the Board, presided, and the other members present were—The Dean of Christ Church, the Archdeacon of Connor, the Archdeacon of Armagh, Canon A. Lockett Ford, Canon Harvey Stewart, Canon Kernan, the Earl of Belmore, Captain Carden, Messrs. Ferrar, Scott and Ireland. Four cases were investigated. All the clergymen whose incomes were declared liable to deduction as provided by Section 11 of the Statute, were registered as contributors. Permission to continued membership on revised terms was granted to a contributor who had undertaken duty in England and to another who had accepted work in Canada. Intimation was received of the deaths of three contributors and of a lady who had received an annuity of £5 under Section 33 (b). Annuities of £48, with £5 a year from the Supplemental Fund, were granted to two widows of contributors. The Board adjourned to December 18.

The Bishop of Lichfield, at the annual meeting of the Free and Open Church Association, remarked that some people conceived that the Church was a voluntary organisation of people bound together for spiritual welfare and having as its motto "Safety first." Others rightly believed that the Church was the instrument by which the Lord was carrying on His work on earth, and was one great family. Neither in nor out of places of worship should there be those artificial distinctions which many still held dear, and most of the 473 churches in his own diocese were free. Every church ought to be obviously and hospitably open to all God's children; there should be no need to go hunting for the side door. Reverence and "starch" were two very different qualities, and why should the Church of England be more "starchy" than the Roman Catholic Church? Aloofness and standoffishness among congregations should be abolished.

The Dean of Chester declared that the practice of locking the doors of cathedrals in between the services was monstrous. The income of Chester Cathedral had increased five times since it had been made free.

FUH-KIEN MISSION.

The annual meeting of the Dublin University Fuh-Kien Mission will be held to-morrow afternoon, at 4.30, in the Regent House, Trinity College. At 3.30 a Service of Intercession for the University Missions will be held in the College Chapel. The Provost will preside at the meeting, and the speakers will be the Rev. A. Sills and Mrs. Sills.

MODERN METHODS OF STOCK FEEDING.

BABY BEEF.

BY AGRICULTURIST.

In view of the growth requirements of the young organism, the feed for growing animals should be rich in albumen and mineral matter. The growth of young animals is not absolutely inhibited, even when the food supply does not exceed the wastes of the body. Under these circumstances growth takes place at the expense of the body organs. Under such conditions life cannot, of course, be indefinitely prolonged.

Provided with an abundance of production feed, a suckling calf may make daily gains of 2lbs. or more per 500lbs., live weight, while the mature ox can hardly make gains to exceed 0.6lbs. to 0.8lbs. per 1,000lbs. live weight per day. Such rapid development of young animals is possible only in connection with an ample supply of easily digestible nutriment of high availability, assisted by the inherent power of the young to assimilate and convert albumens and minerals into the body tissue.

The power to convert digested nutriments into tissue is gradually reduced with advancing age, and, as far as the albuminous tissues are concerned, this faculty is all but lost.

Hence the advantage of developing young animals quickly for profit. Those who cultivate baby beeves get the best results from the food consumed, but in such cases calves must be kept well fed from the day they are born. If they are allowed to get thin at weaning time the profit will be used up in getting them ready to fatten.

"Clarendo" fed dry after their drink from the third to fourth week onwards will keep them fat, and convert them into first class baby beeves or bulls for the Spring Sales.—(Advt.)

Grandchildren of two Field-Marshals—the Earl of Ypres and Lord Plumer—will be among the children taking part in the play in aid of the Children's League of Pity, at the New Scala Theatre, London, to-morrow.

ALEXANDRA TENEMENTS.

SUCCESSFUL YEAR'S WORK.

The twenty-sixth annual general meeting of the Alexandra Guild Tenements Co., Limited, was held in Alexandra College, Dublin, Miss White, LL.D., in the chair.

In moving the adoption of the report, Miss White commented on the satisfactory financial result of the year, which showed a net profit of £114 12s., and she recommended that a dividend of 2½ per cent. be declared. In looking back over the 26 years' existence of the company, it was a great source of gratification to note the improvement in the houses, and more especially the growing spirit of loyal co-operation in which the tenants worked together with the company. Miss Story, in seconding the adoption of the report, said it gave her much pleasure to note that a dividend was to be declared, as she believed it most desirable to be able to show the possibility, even in Dublin, of tenement property being maintained in a high standard of decency and comfort at rents within the reach of the very poor, without proving a financial loss to the owner.

The outgoing directors, Miss Conan, Miss Dixon, and Miss White and the auditors, Messrs. Cooper and Kenny, were re-elected.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The series of meetings preparatory to the Mission of Decision and Dedication came to a close last Saturday night. At the united meeting for intercession last Wednesday night in the Presbyterian Church House, Dublin the Rev. R. K. Hanna presided, and gave an impressive address to a large and devout audience, drawn from all parts of the city. Professor Macalister presided at the organ, and elders and others led in the prayers for God's blessing on the Mission.

Last Saturday night a still greater gathering was present to welcome the ministers who had come to conduct the Mission in the various churches in Dublin and suburbs. The Rev. J. L. Morrow presided. The Rev. Dr. Johnson opened the meeting with devotional exercises, and the Rev. R. K. Hanna, who has made the arrangements for the Mission, gave a hearty welcome and God-speed to those who had responded to the invitation of the Dublin Presbytery. The Rev. J. Knowles, who had co-operated with Mr. Hanna, also spoke. Sacred solos were rendered by Mrs. Gordon Drummond, and addresses on the aims of the Mission were given by the Rev. Dr. Henry Montgomery, the Rev. Dr. Woodburn, and the Rev. W. B. Spoule.

Yesterday morning the Mission commenced in the churches. Large congregations were present morning and evening, and the Mission was commenced auspiciously. Every evening of this week there will be Services in the churches at 8 o'clock, and the Mission will close on Friday.

The Moderator-elect of the Church of Scotland is the Rev. Dr. John White, minister of the Barony Church, Glasgow, and one of His Majesty's Chaplains for Scotland. Owing to the illness of Dr. Wallace Williamson, Dr. White was the advocate of Church Union, and, indeed, the leader of the House, at the last meeting of the General Assembly.

The Rev. Dr. James Harvey, minister of Lady Glenorchy's Church, Edinburgh will be the coming Moderator of the United Free Church Assembly. Dr. Harvey is Senior Clerk of the Assembly. The Rev. Professor Moore, of Edinburgh, will be Moderator of the Free Church of Scotland, better known as the "Wee Frees." Professor Moore is an Irishman, and a student of Trinity College, Dublin, where he gained distinction as a Hebrew scholar.

The Rev. E. A. Elliott Burrows, M.A., who has been called to be minister of Knock Church, Belfast, was a classical scholar of Trinity College in 1901 and graduated Senior Moderator later. He held a scholarship in every year of his three year Divinity course in Westminster College, Cambridge. For seven years he was minister of Bootle, and for ten minister of Forest Hill, London.

IRISH DISTRESSED LADIES' FUND.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund was held at 6 Merrion square, Dublin, on Friday last.

The Earl of Wicklow presided. There were also present:—Miss Butler, Miss Tottenham, Miss Croker, Miss Kenny, Miss Whelan, Madam MacDermot, and Mr. Charles H. Chaytor.

Lady Moore, Colonel Tottenham, and Colonel Baillie wrote regretting inability to be present.

Their monthly pension list having been submitted, cheques amounting to £75 were ordered to be issued in connection with same, together with coal grants for £27.

The Secretary reported having received the following amounts from their Hon. Secretaries:—County Cork, per Mrs. Webb, £15; Waterford, per Miss Barton, £19 13/6; Armagh, per Miss Boyle, £19 11/-; Carlow, per Miss Hall, £14 6/-; Westmeath, per Mrs. Smyth, £21 5/-; Longford, per Miss Road, £9 9/-; Co. Kerry, per Miss Palmer, £33 17/-; Co. Kilkenny, per Miss Ponsonby Wandesforde, £21 10/6.

Applications received since the last meeting were considered, and cheques amounting to £123 were ordered to be issued.

TO THE WORKERS OF DUBLIN.

Over twelve months ago Mr. James Larkin returned to Ireland from America and attempted to gain control of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, and to ride roughshod over both the rank and file of the members and the Executive Committee, elected according to rule by the general body of our members. This attempt at one-man dictatorship over the workers of Ireland was frustrated by the determined action of the Executive Committee and the Delegate Conference of the Union, elected by the rank and file.

When he found himself unable to control the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, Larkin and his relatives, and a small, but noisy, gang of his followers on the docks, established an organisation which, in imitation of certain revolutionary organisations abroad, he called the "Workers' Union of Ireland." He immediately began to use this new organisation for the double purpose of disrupting the I.T. & G.W.U. and the organised Labour movement in Ireland, and the creation of trouble in every business and industry into which he could push even one of his agents. His main object throughout was quite obviously to bring his own personality into the limelight, regardless of the injury his tactics inflicted upon the working men and women, whom he made his victims or his dupes.

In his campaign of disruption Larkin employed a number of paid agents, and to support them a larger number of casual workers, many of whom seldom or never worked steadily for a livelihood. These agents have gone around the city in organised gangs threatening and intimidating workers to compel them to give up their membership of the I.T. & G.W.U. and join Larkin's organisation, and to pay special levies and other big contributions every week to help Larkin's plans. By creating an atmosphere of fear amongst both workers and employers the Larkinites succeeded in enrolling a proportion of employés in his organisation, particularly on the docks. The method adopted was this: Visiting a business establishment in the city, they informed its employés that the dockers and carters handling the material going to, or coming from, that establishment were members of the so-called W.U.I., and that nothing would be delivered to, or taken away from, that firm unless its employés joined the W.U.I. In some instances this threat succeeded. When it did, the dockers and carters mentioned were then threatened that unless they joined the W.U.I. the Larkinites in the firms with which they did business would refuse to handle goods usually handled by these carters and dockers. In this way a number of carters and dockers were bullied into joining the Larkinite organisation. It is to be remembered that, with the exception of a small minority, these workers who have joined the W.U.I. have no sympathy with Larkin, and have changed their Union merely because they feared that unless they did so they would lose their jobs.

This policy of threatening the loss of their employment was applied to the docks, to certain railway centres, to theatres and cinemas, to building jobs, to the Fish Markets, and to other concerns in the city. In the main it was a policy of bluff. Bluff though it was, it was effective with a certain number of employers. These employers were so anxious to avoid any trouble in their business that in a number of instances they encouraged their employés to go over to Larkin. In several instances Stevedores refused to employ men because of these men's membership of the I.T. & G.W.U.

As soon as any body of workers had joined the Larkinite organisation, Larkin used them immediately for the purpose of coercing other workers into joining his organisation. The interests or sufferings of the workers he used for his own ends were of little concern to him so long as they served Larkin's purposes. In several cases his agents called them away from their jobs without previously consulting them. It was in this manner, and for this purpose, that he brought about the disastrous fiascoes in the Gasworks, Marino, Inchicore, and the Dublin Fish Market. When these workers were no longer of any service to him, Larkin deserted them, and left them without either employment or trade union support.

For some weeks past he has concentrated his efforts upon gaining control of the dock workers. His aim is to compel the workers of the city to throw in their lot with him by threatening that unless they do so the dockers will refuse to handle goods coming to or from city establishments. When he finds that certain workers refuse to leave the I.T. & G.W.U., his agents call upon the Larkinites in the job to cease work until such time as the I.T. & G.W.U. men come in. This has actually succeeded so often that many workers and employers have fallen to the threat of a stoppage and given Larkin a free hand.

Sooner or later it was inevitable that bodies of workers would refuse to act or to be coerced in the mere interests of a particular individual or a particular family. This did, in fact, happen last week-end in the Carlton and Corinthian Cinemas. In these houses a **minority** of the staffs, who had no trade dispute with their employers, left their employment because the majority would not join Larkin's organisation. The **majority** refused to be bullied by this action, and remained at their posts. Their example has now been followed by a section of the dockers—as, for instance, in the loading of a cargo from the firm of Messrs. Morgan, Mooney, and Co., Ltd., acid and chemical manufacturers. The consequence is that, whereas men had gone over to Larkin because they feared the loss of their employment if they did not, they are finding now that on joining Larkin's organisation they are called off their jobs in a fight against fellow-workers, and that their places are being filled by workers who remain in the I.T. & G.W.U. Larkinism allows them no choice, and a mass picket is the threat held over their heads.

In future, both on the docks and in the city, members of the I.T. & G.W.U. will remain at work unless involved in a genuine trade dispute, and they will fill the places of Larkinite workers who are foolish enough to quit their employment at the behest of any of Larkin's agents. In this decision the Dublin workers have the full support of the Union, and the Union is determined that in each case that arises the workers will have an opportunity of choosing between their jobs and Larkin's interests.

This choice is of vital importance to a working-class family at any time. It is doubly important at this moment, when thousands of Dublin workers are unemployed, and there is little prospect of any improvement in trade and business. The campaign the Larkinites have embarked upon has already thrown too many people, at Inchicore and elsewhere, into the ranks of the unemployed. The approach of Christmas is not a time when workers can afford to give up their precarious livelihood simply because James Larkin and his paid agents and officials have a game of their own to play. Is Larkin to be allowed to make unemployment worse and more general?

The I.T. & G.W.U. appeals to its members to give their active and hearty support to the workers on the Docks and in the Theatres, Cinemas, etc., who are standing up against the menace of Larkinism. Within the next few days the turn of events may be such that Larkin may attempt to upset the whole trade and industry of the city. In this issue it is the duty of all members of the Union, and the duty of Trade Unionists generally, to stand up manfully and refuse to obey the dictation of the Larkinites.

DOCKERS! Don't be fooled any longer. Stand to your jobs unless you have a genuine Trade dispute with your employers. Don't be intimidated. You will find that the full strength of the Union will protect you against Larkinism now as it protected your livelihood and your wages conditions in the past.

WORKERS! Don't be bullied. Help your comrades who are in the fighting line. The issue is: Democracy and the free will of the workers against Dictatorship and the personal desires of a would-be Dictator. The worker who has his own interests and the interests of his family and of his class at heart will choose Democracy without hesitation.

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
OF THE
IRISH TRANSPORT AND GENERAL WORKERS' UNION.

35 PARNELL SQUARE, DUBLIN,
NOVEMBER 22, 1924.

GRANTS FOR HOUSING.

DUBLIN COMMISSIONERS' OFFER

The Dublin Borough Commissioners have adopted a supplemental scheme, in pursuance of which local assistance will be granted to persons to enable them to erect dwellings under the Housing Act.

The scheme provides for the making of grants up to the maximum amount indicated in the Act—namely, £100 for five-roomed houses, £80 for four-roomed houses, and £60 for three-roomed houses. The Commissioners are prepared (a) to give grants in cash; (b) to grant or lease any lands in their possession as building sites; or (c) to execute works of development suitable to the erection of houses to which the Act applies; provided that the total value of the assistance thus given shall not in the aggregate exceed the amounts of the grants above indicated.

A letter has been received from the Ministry of Local Government, conveying the Minister's approval to the appointment of Mr. E. Morton as head teacher of the Science Department, Kevin street Technical Schools.

BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

ULSTER SENATOR'S VIEWS.

Addressing a gathering of "B Special" Constabulary at Creggan, Derry, on Friday night, Senator John C. Glendinning said that the Boundary Commission had been set up and had asked for statements from the Northern and Free State Governments.

The Northern Government did not recognise the Commission, while the Free State Government were afraid to recognise it, because they feared they might lose more than they would gain. Neither of the two Governments was, therefore, going to have anything to do with the Commission. Mr. Justice Feetham might go back to South Africa or someone should be appointed in his place out there; because many months would elapse before the border question was settled.

The speaker advised the "B" Force to continue their good work. (Applause.)

The next Congress of the Royal Sanitary Institute and Health Exhibition will be held at Edinburgh from July 20th to 25th, 1925.

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TO-NIGHT (MONDAY), 8 o'clock, at
THE INSTITUTE, UPPER GEORGE'S STREET, KINGSTOWN.
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TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 11.30 to 6 o'clock.
At 3 o'clock the Chair will be taken by
THE LADY ARDILAUN,
When Miss Rachel Mahaffy will present a Report of the School.

DUBLIN LITERARY SOCIETY.
LECTURE: "LAUGHTER AND TEARS,"
By CONALL CEARNACH,
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 25th NOVEMBER,
At 36 PARNELL SQUARE, at 8 o'clock sharp.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE.
OLD Boys of St. Andrew's College are requested to attend a Meeting at the College, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 5.30 p.m., to arrange about the Annual Dinner, which it is proposed to hold on December 12th.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA hEIREANN
(IRISH LAND COMMISSION).
In connection with proceedings under the Land Purchase Acts, the Irish Land Commission require the services of a limited number of Inspectors for a short period. Salary:—Grade I.—£600 per annum, inclusive; Grade II.—£500 per annum, inclusive; plus actual travelling expenses and subsistence allowances when absent on official business. The appointments will be purely temporary, and will be terminable on a month's notice, given at any time. Candidates for appointment must have a thorough knowledge of the valuation of land, the working and management thereof, and all matters connected therewith. Preference will be given to ex-National Army candidates who have the necessary qualifications. Applications for appointment, stating age and giving full particulars of qualifications, should reach this office on or before 1st December, 1924. Persons who have already sent in applications need not repeat them.
JOHN T. DRENNAN, Secretary.
Irish Land Commission, Dublin,
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(IRISH AUXILIARY).
MR. BARBROOKE GRUBB, F.R.G.S.,
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On TO-DAY (MONDAY), 24th NOVEMBER,
At 8.15 p.m., in the
VESTRY HALL, MONKSTOWN.
Chairman: The Rev Chancellor J. C. Dowse, M.A.
On TUESDAY NEXT, 25th NOVEMBER,
At 3.30 p.m., in the
Y.M.C.A. BUILDINGS, LOWER ABBEY STREET
(Minor Hall).
Chairman: The Archbishop of Dublin.
On TUESDAY NEXT, 25th NOVEMBER,
At 8 p.m., in the
Y.M.C.A. BUILDINGS, LOWER ABBEY STREET
(Metropolitan Hall).
Chairman: Rev. A. E. Hughes, M.A.,
Rector of Christ Church, Leeson Park.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY FUH-KIEN MISSION.
THE ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING in connection with the D.U.F.M. and the Women's Auxiliary will be held in the REGENT HOUSE, TRINITY COLLEGE, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 25th NOVEMBER, 1924, at 4.30 p.m.
The Right Hon. and Most Rev. J. H. Bernard, D.D., Provost, will preside.
The Meeting will be addressed by
The Rev. A. SILLS, late of Fuh-Kien, and Mrs. Sills.
Tea at 4 p.m. at 6 T.C.D. (by kind permission of the Elizabethan Society).

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.
The Voting Papers for the Election of Six Pupils on 1st December, 1924, have been issued. Voters whose papers may not have come to hand are requested to apply at once to the Secretary at the Office, 40 Molesworth street, Dublin. A subscription of 10/6 gives One Vote; a donation of £5 5/- a Life Vote.

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12th November, 1924.
Town Hall, Bangor, Co. Down.

PUBLIC LECTURES THIS WEEK
AT THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY ROOMS,
16 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET, DUBLIN.
To-day (Monday), 8 p.m.—"Theosophy and Life's Problems," by Mr. P. Leslie Pielou.
To-morrow (Tuesday), 8 p.m.—Address by President of Hermes Lodge.
Friday, 4.30 p.m.—"Superhuman Men,"
By Mrs. Herbert Whyte.
EVERYONE WELCOME.

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ANGLO-GERMAN TRADE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BERLIN, Sunday.

A German trade delegation, under Herr von Schulbert, head of the Anglo-German section of the Foreign Office, who for a long time was in England before the war, left for London last night. Still bargaining is expected, but the delegation is in a hopeful mood.

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The Irish Times.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1924.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Immense crowds of people from all parts of the Archdiocese thronged the streets of Armagh yesterday, and from morning till night the Roman Catholic Cathedral was filled by people who had come to pray for the repose of Cardinal Logue's soul.—(Page 7.)

By a majority of five to one the Dublin barmen decided yesterday to go on strike if their demands are not granted by the publicans.—(Page 7.)

The Cumann na nGaedheal candidate has won the Donegal by-election.—(Page 7.)

It is reported that the British Government is to make a further grant for the maintenance of the Ulster Special Constables.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Three ingots of gold, valued at £10,000, disappeared from a consignment of twenty-four sent from South Africa to London.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Zaghlul Pasha has replied to the British ultimatum which was sent as a consequence of the murder of Sir Lee Stack. It rejects certain of the demands, but agrees to pay the indemnity of £500,000, to punish the assassins, and to suppress political disorders.—(Page 7.)

A famous Russian painter has confessed to being the head of an international counterfeiting organisation, and has been sentenced in Berlin to sixty years' imprisonment.—(Page 8.)

Ismet Pasha's Cabinet has resigned.—(Page 7.)

Mr. Gandhi has declared his acceptance of the Swarajist policy, including entry into the Councils.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Manchester on Saturday Cloudbank won the Manchester November Handicap.—(Page 10.)

At Lingfield Harrovian won the Finale Handicap Plate.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

Loanable credits were plentiful in Lombard street on Saturday, and loans over the week-end were made at 2½ per cent. down to 2 per cent. The movements in exchanges were favourable to London.—(Page 11.)

The Ultimatum to Egypt.

Events are moving swiftly in Egypt. Last Friday, in consequence of the murder of Sir Lee Stack, Sirdar of the Egyptian Army, Viscount Allenby, the Governor-General, presented Zaghlul Pasha with a stern *ultimatum*. The *ultimatum*, which was due to expire at five o'clock (Egyptian time) yesterday, embodied a series of seven demands. The Egyptian Government was informed that it must present an ample apology for the murder; that it must take instant steps for the arrest and punishment of Sir Lee Stack's assassins; that it must suppress political demonstrations throughout the country, and that it must pay a fine of £500,000. Furthermore, the *ultimatum* required the Egyptian Government to withdraw all Egyptian officers and purely Egyptian military units from the Sudan, announced that the Gezira irrigation area, hitherto limited voluntarily by Great Britain to 300,000 feddans, would be increased indefinitely, and requested Zaghlul Pasha to refrain from any further opposition to the wishes of His Majesty's Government concerning the protection of foreign interests in Egypt. The reply from the Egyptian Government was received in London yesterday. It accepted the first four demands without comment beyond a statement that, while it deplored the Cairo murder, it could not hold itself responsible in any way; it rejected the other three. Zaghlul Pasha protested that, under the Constitution, the King of Egypt was Commander-in-Chief of the Sudanese Army; that the irrigation scheme was "premature," and that the "foreign interests" demand could not be accepted without the consent of the Egyptian Parliament.

Lord Allenby lost no time in replying to this Note. Yesterday evening he informed Zaghlul Pasha that, in view of the Egyptian Government's rejection of the demands regarding the army in the Sudan and the irrigation area, he had sent instructions to the Government of the Sudan to take immediate steps for the withdrawal of all Egyptian officers and units, as required by the *ultimatum*, and also to arrange for the indefinite extension of the Gezira scheme. In regard to the other demand which has been rejected, Lord Allenby told the Egyptian Premier that he would learn the intentions of His Majesty's Government in due course. A situation of the utmost gravity, therefore, has arisen. British troops are being hurried to Egypt from Malta and other neighbouring stations, and there will be a strong display of force in Alexandria to-day, when soldiers and bluejackets will parade the streets. The Egyptian Cabinet seems to be divided on the question of resignation. Zaghlul Pasha is reported to be anxious to remain in office, but some of his colleagues consider that Egypt has been humiliated by the acceptance of the indemnity demand and are trying to force him to resign. The position is complicated. Egypt nominally is an independent State, but has an association with Great Britain not unlike that which was proposed for Ireland in "Document No. 2." No foreign Power can interfere in Egyptian affairs without being guilty of an unfriendly act against Great Britain, and the result is, therefore, that Lord Allenby will have almost a free hand in the enforcement of the *ultimatum*.

What will happen now? The indignation of the British people has been aroused by the cruel murder of Sir Lee Stack, and we may assume that the Government will be supported firmly in any action which it may think fit to take. The clamour for the revocation of Egyptian independence need not be taken very seriously. Britain has no desire to annex a troublesome country, and the whole tendency of Imperial policy is away from annexation. On the other hand, a crime like that of Sir Lee Stack's murder cannot be allowed to remain unpunished, and if the British Government should yield on any point of its *ultimatum*, the effects throughout the East would be deplorable. India will watch every move in Egypt. The slightest sign of leniency would be interpreted immediately as weakness, and the agitators who infest the Dependency would redouble their efforts to make British rule impossible. If Zaghlul Pasha has any statesmanship, therefore, he will recognise that he has adopted an impossible position. If he is stubborn, all the fruits of the conciliation policy in Egypt will be lost. The Conservative Government in England will not abate its demands for reparation. It is determined, for reasons of high policy, to hold the Sudan and the Suez Canal, and nothing will shake its purpose. All friends of peace will hope sincerely that the Egyptians will make a virtue of necessity and will enable Lord Allenby to abstain from measures which no Briton is anxious to employ.

Penny Postage.

The demand for a return to the penny postage system in Great Britain and Northern Ireland is becoming insistent. Sir William Mitchell-Thomson, the new Postmaster-General, has been asked to meet a deputation from the Industrial Council of the Printing and Allied Trades. The deputation, which probably will be received at an early date, seeks to place evidence before the Postmaster-General showing the extent to which the restoration of the lower rate might be expected to relieve unemployment in these trades. There is increasing hope in England that the Postmaster-General will see his way to grant the concession which is sought so widely. The Treasury, however, is reluctant to give its approval. Its "bad times" are not yet ended, and the large Post Office surplus is employed now to lighten the burden of taxation. It was in 1918 that Mr. Bonar Law increased the letter rate from 1d. to 1½d. In 1920 it was raised further to 2d., and it was reduced to the present rate in 1922. The principal argument in favour of a further reduction is that the number of letters sent through the post would increase to such an extent that no loss to the Treasury would result. During the year 1922-23 the number of letters carried was less by about 230,000,000 than in 1913-14, and during the period when the charge was 2d. it was still lower by about fifty millions. In the case of postcards the fall has been even more remarkable, since the last ten years have seen a decrease to little more than half of the figure for 1913-14. These statistics lend weight to the argument in favour of reduction, but there is another side to the picture. The Post Office's wages bill is more than double the pre-war figure, and, according to the estimate of Mr. Hartshorn, the last Postmaster-General, an increase of fifty *per cent.* in circulation is necessary if the revenue is not to suffer from a drop of one halfpenny in the letter rate. Since the reduction in the rate from 2d. to 1½d. caused only an increase in circulation of five *per cent.*, Mr. Hartshorn estimates that it would cost the revenue some five and a half million pounds to revert to the penny rate. Probably the Post Office could bear this loss without an actual deficit. The point at issue is whether this service shall enjoy the benefit of its own prosperity to the relief of those who use it or whether its profits shall be appropriated to bolster up some other Government service which does not pay. In the last ten years Postmasters-General have had small opportunity to become familiar with the problems of office; for there have been no fewer than eight changes since the war in the chief control of this department. If Sir William Mitchell-Thomson is able to carry out the reform which is desired so earnestly, he will confer a very great benefit on the community; and Irishmen on the Northern side of the border will hold a still greater advantage as a result of the partition which is deplored in the Free State.

War on Latin.

Four years hence the Irish language will become an obligatory subject for the intermediate certificate examination in secondary schools throughout the Free State. This examination will be taken at the age of sixteen, and, as the certificate will be a term of admission to various employments, the study of Irish must squeeze other languages out of the school curricula. The chief victim, no doubt, will be Latin, for which, unlike French and German, there is no direct demand in industry and commerce. Since the Americans are the most commercial people in the world, their views on the value of Latin as a factor in education ought to have some interest for Irishmen. The American Classical League has just issued a report which shows that in 1923-1924 thirty *per cent.* of all the students in the secondary schools of the United States took Latin, and that this number exceeded by 16,000 the combined total of pupils who studied other foreign languages. The acute shortage of trained Latin teachers is, perhaps, the greatest problem which confronts classical education in America. A careful analysis of students' records which has been made by some 8,000 teachers, under the auspices of the Classical League, has proved not only that the Latin students do better than the non-Latin students in all subjects outside of Latin and Greek, but that efficiency in all these non-classical subjects keeps pace with increased efficiency in the Latin language and literature. The report estimates the margin of superiority of the Latin group of students, as a whole, at thirteen *per cent.* This is the language—one of the two bases of all true culture in the widest sense—which is likely to receive the heaviest blow if, and when, the Irish language is made compulsory in our Free State schools. The Free State Government has no right to impose such a handicap on Irish boys. Persistence in its present policy not merely will be bad for education, but will keep alive a sense of grievance that must hurt every national interest.

Aeroplanes and Crime.

Bucharest is disturbed by the disappearance of an officer in the Rumanian Flying Corps. It is alleged that he took an army aeroplane from the dépôt at Galatz, and that he has flown to Odessa, on his way to Moscow, with important documents stolen from the military authorities. He is supposed to have relations with the Russian Soviet and to have been a member of the organisation of spies which was discovered last year in Bessarabia. Here is a plot which Mr. Phillips Oppenheim might envy for one of his bustling stories of political wickedness in high places. Moreover, it is a very suggestive plot, since it indicates that the task of Europe's Chancerys and of her police forces in general may become increasingly difficult during the next few years. At present most of the world's aeroplanes, being in military service, are kept under strict guardianship. Civil aviation, however, is making swift progress, and it is quite possible that ten years hence the citizen may be able to keep an aeroplane as easily and conveniently as he now keeps a motor car. When that time comes not only the political plotter, but the common criminal, will have new and powerful assistance in their dark designs. A stealer of State documents may take them across Europe in a single day. A robber of jewels in London may be able to sell them within a few hours at Amsterdam. A defaulting bank manager in the North of England may transfer himself to the security of Andorra before the law has begun to get properly on his track. It is manifest that any large development of civil aviation must be followed by a still closer *liaison* between the detective systems of the different countries, and that aerial police forces must be brought into existence on a highly organised scale. Then our detective fiction, which is becoming a little monotonous, may look forward to a new lease of life.

THE KREISLER CONCERT.

MAGIC OF THE VIOLIN.

Criticism of Kreisler's fiddling is almost impossible. He is so incomparably the greatest of living violinists that the only standards by which he can be judged are his own standards; and, therefore, one is thrown back on the safe expedient of criticising his choice of programme.

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It was divided into three parts at the Theatre Royal, Dublin, on Saturday. He played the Grieg Sonata in C minor (Op. 45), the Tchaikovsky Concerto in D (Op. 35), and a group of seven little pieces of the popular, or semi-popular type. Kreisler is such a great artist that it seems a pity that he should waste his time on trifles like the Indian Ballad (Pale Moon), which was described on the programme as "an American song which has enjoyed much favour on 'the other side.'" But audiences must be taken into consideration, and in Kreisler's hands the most tawdry tune becomes transmuted into the purest gold. Like Mr. John MacCormack, he has an old man of the sea, which apparently he cannot get rid of; and just as every audience insists on "Mother Machree" in the case of the former, Kreisler is never allowed to leave a platform until he has played the "Caprice Viennois." He played it consummately well on Saturday, as he also played the Dvorak Humoresque, so dear to the heart of the gramophone owner; but of all his popular group the Couperin *Chanson Louis Treize* and *Pavane* made the greatest appeal. Nobody can play simple music with such simplicity as Kreisler, and the dainty grace of his interpretation of these little gems was a delight to the ear.

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The Grieg Sonata for violin and piano received masterly treatment, not only from the virtuoso, but also from Mr. Charlton Keith at the piano. The first movement—*allegro molto ed appassionato*—was magnificent. Violin and piano were in perfect juxtaposition. There was a complete understanding between them, and Grieg's mighty music, with its passion, its exaltation, and its underlying strain of melancholy, held the great audience from the first note to the last. The Romance was delightful. Kreisler made magic with the little dance tune which interrupts the main theme, and the hide and seek between the two instruments was full of musical charm.

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The Tchaikovsky Concerto gave those who did not know their Kreisler a good idea of that marvellous technique which has placed him head and shoulders above his contemporaries. One might have preferred him to play the Max Bruch, or even the Mendelssohn, but Tchaikovsky gave him great scope to display his control of his instrument, and the way in which he treated the most appalling difficulties of fingering and bowing was simply amazing. It all seems so easy when Kreisler does it. The left hand flashes up almost to the bridge of the violin, and before one realises what is happening Kreisler is is rattling off chromatic scale passages in the "nth" position, with almost superhuman ease. He never shows off. With him there is no shake of the head or frenzied swaying of the body. He does not need such trimmings to his art; for Kreisler has no peer.

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Musically, the Tchaikovsky Concerto is not of great account. It is full of brilliance, and dazzles the imagination by an almost continuous display of fireworks. The *cadenza* which, of course, is totally unnecessary, and was written by the composer merely to give fiddlers an opportunity to prove their technical skill, is a work in itself; but it did not worry Kreisler. He played the concerto, as he played everything else, with supreme contempt for its difficulties, seizing the composer's thought, developing it forcibly and flawlessly, now subtle, now direct, never hesitating, never doubting; and all without a trace of effort, all without a hurried note.

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It was a splendid performance, and Kreisler would be the first to share his laurels with Mr. Charlton Keith, whose accompaniments in themselves were an artistic achievement.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Sally," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Tilly," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Pranks," 7 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Spare Parts," 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Image" and "Crabbed Youth and Age," 8 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Tess of the Storm Country."
Metropole Cinema—"The Great White Way."
Grafton Cinema—"Rupert of Hentzau," 2, 4.15, 6.25, and 8.35.
Carlton Cinema—"The Eternal City."
Grand Central Cinema—"What Price Loving Cup?"
Sackville Picture House—"The Star Reporter."
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"Hush Money," 4.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"Madame Guillotine."
Rotunda Pictures—"Armageddon."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"One Week of Love," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Law Courts—Dublin Castle, 11 a.m.
Circuit Court—Green Street, 11 a.m.
Audit of Dublin Corporation Accounts, 11 a.m.
Meeting of Dublin Employers—Shelbourne Hotel, 3 o'clock.
Rotary Club Luncheon, 1 o'clock.
National Literary Society—16 Dawson Street, 8.30.
Belvedere Social Service Club Dance—Clery's Restaurant, 7.45 p.m.
Lecture—Moravian Church, Lower Kevin Street, 8.0.
South American Missionary Society—Vestry Hall, Monkstown, 8 p.m.
Engineering and Scientific Association—University College, 7.45 p.m.
Lecture, "Tut-Ankh-Amen"—The Institute, Upper George's Street, Kingstown, 8 p.m.

The land is suffering from a rush of brains to the head.—Mr. John Burns.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

To-day the King and Queen will leave Buckingham Palace for York Cottage, where they will remain for some time, and the King will fulfil shooting engagements. During her stay in London the Queen made several shopping expeditions and has contributed many gifts of toys to the numerous Christmas treats for sick and poor children which are now being organised in the Metropolis.

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Queen Alexandra paid another visit to King's Lynn last Saturday afternoon. Although the weather was dull, she motored to the town from Sandringham in an open car, and displayed much interest in the busy street scenes. The Hon. Charlotte Knollys was in attendance upon Her Majesty.

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Last Saturday the Crown Prince and the Crown Princess of Sweden concluded their visit to England. Leaving London in the forenoon, they embarked at Tilbury for Gothenburg, *en route* for Stockholm, where they will remain over Christmas.

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Princess Beatrice attended the matinée at the Chelsea Palace Theatre which was organised in celebration of the tenth anniversary of the establishment of the Ivory Cross and its beneficent work. Many Irish supporters of the movement were present. Florence Lady Garvagh had organised a band of programme-sellers, and among those who assisted were the Marchioness of Downshire, the Countess of Cork and Viscountess Gort.

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Count Albert Mensdorff, who has left London for Paris, *en route* for Vienna, was formerly Austro-Hungarian Ambassador to the Court of St. James, and was probably the most popular diplomat in London. He has always been an intimate friend of the Royal Family, with whom he is connected through his great-grandmother, Princess Sophia Countess von Mensdorff-Pouilly, aunt of Queen Victoria.

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Viscount and Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard have arrived in Ireland from London. Sir Robert Horne will start shortly for the Far East, where he has some important engagements in connection with the Burma Corporation. Mr. and Lady Mary Corbally will leave Rathbeale Hall next month and will spend the winter abroad. Sir Samuel and Lady Power, who lived formerly at Belleville House, Ashtown, have given up their London residence and have gone abroad.

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Lord Elvedon returned to London last Saturday from Dublin, where he had been staying with the Hon. Ernest Guinness. Sir Timothy O'Brien, who has been in Dublin for the past six weeks, has returned to London. He has sold Rockfort, his place near Blackrock, County Dublin, to Sir Christopher Nixon. Sir Charles Barrington returned to Glenstal, Limerick, last Saturday from Dublin.

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Elizabeth Countess of Northesk and her daughter, Lady Katharine Carnegie, are staying with the Dowager Countess of Northesk in Hans Crescent, London. Lady Katharine's marriage with Mr. W. B. L. Manley, Grenadier Guards, will take place in the Guards' Chapel, Wellington Barracks, on December 22nd. During Lord Dunsany's absence on a hunting expedition in Upper Egypt Lady Dunsany will stay with her mother, the Dowager Countess of Jersey, at 18 Montague square, London.

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The Countess of Kenmare and the Hon. Mrs. Barry are greatly interested in the matinée which Miss Mary O'Hea is organising for the benefit of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses. On Friday Lady Kenmare's daughter, Lady Edward Grosvenor, will give an afternoon party in connection with the bazaar which the Duchess of Portland will open at Grosvenor House, London, on December 9th, in aid of the Queen Alexandra Home for Disabled Soldiers at Roehampton.

What is the Greatest Gift? Constance Powell Anderson, one of our successful dramatists, has portrayed her conception in a new one-act play which Miss Mary O'Hea will produce at the Gaiety Theatre on Thursday next at 2.30. An attractive concert programme, with scenes from "A Midsummer Night's Dream," will also be given.

Switzers are offering very special value in Ladies' Tan Nappa Gloves, Fur top, fleece-lined, elastic at wrist—8s. 11d. per pair.

Austrian and Czecho Slovakian Velour Hats, finest fur and rich sheen, in Almond, Nut, Nutrea, Beaver, Beige, Squirrel, Castor, Gold Red, and Black, 4s. 11d., 5s. 11d., 7s. 11d.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Special discount of 20% off all Gowns, Millinery, Coats.—Veronica, 31 Upper Baggot st.

Chancellor and Son, Photographers, New Electric Studio, 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

Salthill Hotel—Special Winter terms from the 1st of October.

New Model Coats, trimmed real fur, and Evening Gowns at attractive prices.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., 11 Wicklow st.

We are clearing a Manufacturer's High-Class Stock of Navy and Black Serge, Gaberdine and Repp Skirts; also a few Brown and Tweed Sports Skirts, tailor-made. Genuine Bargains.—Boyers and Co., 20, 21, 22 North Earl street.

Dainty black georgette evening gown, bordered with marabout and finished with rose petalled scarf, for 6½ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

ARRIVALS—Mrs. Bernard Healy, Miss Gahan, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, T. O'Rourke Clancy, F. J. Considine, R. Fairweather, Rev. and Mrs E. O'Connor, Dr. M. J. Nolan.

DEPARTURES—Mrs. T. Purefoy, Mrs. M. Wheeler, P. Williams, John T. Max, Dan L. Ramsay and Mrs. Ramsay, Lady Browne, Gerald Murphy, Mrs. Gerald Murphy, Denis Johnston, Madame MacDermot, Mr. and Mrs. Baillie-Gage, Mr. J. Leeway.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Charming Evening Gowns and Dance Frocks showing this week at McBirney's.

The Mansfield Sisters, 28 Wicklow street, have a Special Sale of all their Millinery this week. Genuine Reductions.

Mourning Orders receive prompt attention. 'Phone 4905.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton st.

Dainty Shoes for Ladies at Bargain Prices. See windows at Doyle's, 38 Mary street.

Foot Comfort—A Specialist will attend this week at 26 Stephen's Green, when all Foot Sufferers may have valuable advice and instant relief. Consultation free. Note the address.—Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., 26 Stephen's Green.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors, Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lr r Baggot st.

Special Sale of Fur Coats and Small Furs on Monday and Tuesday. Skunk Stoles from 11 gns., Sable Dyed Fitch Ties, 59/6. Cross Fox, Kit Fox, and Ermine Ties. All clearing at reduced prices.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The main depression near Iceland is filling up gradually, while a secondary off the West of Ireland is spreading eastwards. Winds will be for the most part south-westerly or southerly, fresh to strong, with a risk of gale force in places, and the weather will be cloudy or dull, with occasional rain in most areas. The temperature will continue above normal in the South, and will be higher, at least temporarily, in Scotland.

Ireland. — Wind southerly, perhaps veering towards west later, fresh to strong, with risk of gale force in places; dull; occasional rain; visibility mainly good, but mist in places; temperature rather mild to moderate.

S.W. Seaboard; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel. — Wind southerly, strong to a gale; dull; occasional rain; visibility mainly good, but mist locally; sea rough.

N.W. Seaboard. — Wind southerly, moderate, increasing; dull; some rain; mist in places; sea moderate to rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Sunday (3 p.m.) 30.00

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To-day....	Rises	8. 6	Sets	4.17
To-morrow..	„	8. 7	„	4.16
Lighting-up Time				5.17

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

To-day....	Morning	8.51	Afternoon	9.14
To-morrow..	„	9.41	„	10. 3

LONDON LETTER.

THE BRITISH ULTIMATUM.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

It is evident that the British Government did not enter upon its action regarding Egypt without due consideration; for there were three Cabinet meetings in twenty-four hours, one being late at night with Mr. A. Chamberlain in the chair. This fact alone reveals the responsibility felt by the Government in the matter, and, probably, indicates that a certain line of action had been decided upon if the Egyptian Government had rejected the *ultimatum*. This, however, has not happened, and it seems that Zaghlul Pasha and his Government have climbed down considerably since yesterday. It is not clear yet whether all the terms laid by our Government have been accepted, but the Egyptians have agreed to the major portion of the demands. The visit of Lord Allenby, with a great escort of cavalry, was an object lesson not to be overlooked.

At the moment it is uncertain what will be the course of events in Egypt, but it is generally thought that Zaghlul Pasha will resign his office, and that the King of Egypt will try to form a new Government. It is certain that the Government here will not abate its terms in any way, but will insist that they are carried out. There is no intention of taking away the self-governing powers now possessed by the Egyptians, though it has been stated rather freely that such was the case. The Sudan, however, will be absolutely freed from Egyptian intrigues, and the country will have an opportunity to continue the advance that it is making under the fostering care of the British. Public opinion here strongly supports the action taken by the Government, and warm approval is expressed regarding the Note sent by Mr. Austen Chamberlain.

The King's Message.

Not since Queen Victoria sent a message to Miss Gordon has a British Sovereign sent such a message as that sent by the King to Lord Allenby on the murder of Sir Lee Stack. The message, of course, is one sent on the advice of the Government; for in a matter of such grave importance the Crown acts as its voice. It is taken to mean that the Government will object to the government of Egypt by Zaghlul Pasha and his following, and will insist that he retires from public life. Everybody who knows Egypt knows that the Government of Zaghlul Pasha is not one to commend itself to the purist, while the Egyptian Premier on more than one occasion has acted in a manner which in others might be styled duplicity. It will be remembered that he was once deported to Gibraltar, where he became so ill that he was sent home to Egypt to recover immediately.

Food Prices.

It is believed that the composition of the Royal Commission on food prices will be of an unusually diversified character, including, at least, two women. In this connection the names are mentioned of Mrs. Wintringham, who sat in the last two Parliaments as a Liberal, but was defeated last month, and Dame Helen Gwynne-Vaughan, who has twice unsuccessfully contested Camberwell as a Conservative against Mr. Ammon, Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty in the Socialist Government.

The Inquiry.

When the inquiry begins its labours early attention will be paid to the questions of transport and distribution. In the case of vegetables and fruit the system could be vastly improved by the division of the country into areas to be supplied by a local market. At present all produce for many miles round London comes to Covent Garden, probably the most inconvenient spot for the purpose which could be chosen. The development of local markets would do much to assist the producers, and considerable transport saving could be effected. An excellent example of economical marketing is provided in the case of oranges. They are brought up the Thames to the wharves adjoining London Bridge; the boats are unloaded actually at the Monument Orange Market, where the cases are disposed of without being handled after leaving the ships. The result is the abolition of unnecessary transport and remarkably cheap prices to the consumer.

McGrigor's Bank.

It is expected that the liquidator of Sir Charles McGrigor and Company, late agents to the Royal Dublin Fusiliers and other units of the Army, will be in a position to pay a third dividend of 2s. 2d. in the £ shortly before Christmas. The firm failed in October, 1922, and during the past two years dividends of half-a-crown each have been paid. It may be possible to make a fourth and final distribution, but the amount will not be more than a few pence in the £.

Telephone Girls.

The preparations that are being made by the Post Office for the provision of an automatic telephone system for London have raised fears in some quarters for the future of the girl Exchange operators. Such fears, it is pointed out by the Telephone Development Association, are based on a misapprehension of the facts. In the first place, conversion to the automatic system applies to local lines only. Toll and trunk Exchanges will remain unaltered. Secondly, the conversion will be a gradual process, extending over a period of years. During this time the normal extension of toll and trunk lines, even if hopes of a greatly increased rate of development are not realised, will absorb all operators ousted by the automatic system; and the increasing use of private Exchanges will make a further demand on the services of trained telephonists.

Queen Alexandra.

There is to be a great family gathering at Sandringham next week for the celebration of the eightieth birthday of Queen Alexandra, which falls on December 1st. The King and Queen will be in residence at York Cottage, while the Princess Royal, the Queen of Norway and Princess Victoria will all be arriving at Sandringham Hall during the next few days. Queen Alexandra, therefore, will have all her children with her for the celebration, while several of her grandchildren will visit her during the day. Queen Alexandra's health remains good, but she is very frail and cannot stand much excitement.

The King's Horses.

In the list of winning owners, which is headed by the Aga Khan and Lord Derby, the King holds a somewhat modest place with only £4,553 against his name. Last year the King had a tantalising run of seconds, and this year early expectations of several horses have not been realised. It is expected that both the King and Lord Lascelles will have more horses in training next year, and that Lord Lascelles will keep in close touch with the King's new trainer in an endeavour to achieve a greater measure of success for the Royal candidates next season.

Professional Photography.

The professional photographers in this country have decided to organise for the first time an International Exhibition of Portrait Photography, which will be held in London next autumn. Preparations are already in hand for collecting the best portraits which the world can produce.

Everything I saw in Russia convinced me that there can be no success in private trading affairs or national affairs on Communist lines; there must be scope for the individual. —Lieutenant-Colonel Assheton Pownall, M.P.

EGYPT'S REPLY TO THE ULTIMATUM.

CERTAIN DEMANDS REJECTED BY ZAGHLUL PASHA.

LORD ALLENBY ACTS.

INDEMNITY OF £500,000 TO BE PAID TO-DAY.

BRITISH FLEET AT MALTA UNDER ORDERS: MORE TROOPS SENT.

THE British Cabinet met twice at the Foreign Office in London last Saturday. At its first meeting it approved the terms of the ultimatum—for such it was—to the Egyptian Government, and instructions to present it were sent at once by wireless to Lord Allenby.

A message from Lord Allenby reporting that this has been done was before the Ministers when they met again at night. Up to last night the Egyptian reply had not reached the British Foreign Office, though its tenour was known from unofficial messages.

It is understood that Lord Allenby was given certain orders as to action in the event of a rejection of the British demands, and was left a large measure of discretion.

The British forces in Egypt number about 12,000 men. Their employment to enforce the British demands would not necessarily mean a state of war. Britain still maintains an army of occupation, and has expressly reserved the right to protect foreign interests; to guard British communications, and to defend Egypt itself against foreign aggression.

THE BRITISH DEMANDS.

A proper apology.
An indemnity of £500,000.
The prohibition of political demonstrations.
The withdrawal of Egyptian officers and Egyptian units from the Sudan, the Sudanese troops to come under the control of the Sudan Government proper.
The Note also reserved revision of the conditions governing the retirement of British officials, and insists on the retention of the British judicial and financial advisers.

Too Optimistic.

"We have, in fact," a high authority in London stated last night, "declared a Monroe policy in Egypt. We have been too optimistic about the ability of Egypt to govern herself. We have been disappointed, and now we have been compelled to take such steps as we think necessary without interfering with the declaration of 1922, and the agreement of 1899" (about the Sudan).

The demand for the withdrawal from the Sudan of all Egyptian officers, and the purely Egyptian units of the Egyptian Army, is in accordance with the warning expressed in Mr. Ramsay Macdonald's despatch of October 7th to Lord Allenby, following the break-down of the negotiations with Zaghlul Pasha in London.

With one exception, the other measures specified in the two Allenby Notes are self-explanatory. The exception is the decision to the Sudan Government to increase the irrigation area at Gezira without limit, "as need may arise." This, of course, is a plain and pointed reminder that the flow of the Nile waters vital to Egypt is controlled in the Sudan, a fact which has been one of the main arguments advanced by Egyptians in claiming the Sudan for themselves.

The New Dam.

The Gezira irrigation project has as its main object the development of cotton-growing in the Sudan. At Makwar, about 170 miles south of Khartum, a huge dam is nearing completion across the Blue Nile. It has been designed to render possible the irrigation of 300,000 feddans of land (equal to 311,400 acres) in the Gezira region, one-third of which is to be put under cotton.

In the whole Gezira area—the plain lying between the Blue Nile and the White Nile—there is an estimated total of 3,000,000 feddans of cotton land, and the Makwar barrage scheme has always visualised the possibility of irrigating about a third of this.

For the present, however, 300,000 feddans was to be the limit. It is worth while recalling that the limit was fixed voluntarily in 1920 by Lord Allenby to assuage Egypt's fears concerning the possible effect of the Makwar dam on her water supplies.

A Reminder.

One school of experts has maintained that those fears were groundless, but it has generally been held that the amount of water required to irrigate 300,000 feddans represents, in fact, the surplus above Egypt's requirements. It was intended before extending the area to build a further dam higher up the Blue Nile.

If, therefore, the Sudan Government should proceed to enlarge the area beforehand, there is, at least, a danger of Egypt's water supplies being curtailed. However, the Makwar dam will not be finished until next summer, and this particular clause of the British Note is a threat and a reminder rather than a deed.

Action which would incidentally be damaging to British cotton-growing interests in Egypt can hardly recommend itself to the British Cabinet.

TROOPS FOR EGYPT.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
GIBRALTAR, Sunday.

Orders were received here this afternoon for the 1st Battalion of the Buffs to proceed to Egypt to reinforce the British garrison there. The Buffs will leave Gibraltar on Saturday next.

FLEET UNDER ORDERS.

MALTA, Sunday.

The Fleet is under orders to sail at four hours' notice. All naval offices are open this evening.—*The Times* Correspondent.

ZAGHLUL'S REPLY.

VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IN CHAMBER.

CAIRO, Sunday.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Deputies this evening, Zaghlul Pasha read his reply to the British Note. He then said that the situation was most delicate, and any ill-considered movement might cost the country dearly.

It was their duty to be patient and absolutely calm; to show that they were a wise nation and could restrain passions in difficult circumstances.

He begged the deputies and all Egyptians, young and old, to keep this before them, and not provide their adversaries with an excuse to exercise authority, convinced that on a policy of moderation and wisdom rested the security of their cause.—(*The Times* Correspondent.)

The House passed a vote of confidence in the Government, with one dissentient.—(Reuter.)

The Egyptian reply to the British Note is couched in polite terms and agrees to the demands for an apology, the punishment of the criminals, and an indemnity of half a million sterling, and promises to prevent any disturbance of the peace by demonstrations.

It, however, says the demand in regard to the Sudan breaks the *status quo*, and is contrary to the Constitution, by which King Fuad is Commander-in-Chief of the Egyptian Army, and considers that the demand regarding the Gezirah irrigation is premature.

The Note further says that the position of foreign officials is regulated by a diplomatic agreement, and cannot be modified without the consent of Parliament. It mentions that the most liberal policy compatible with the principle of independence has been adopted towards foreigners, and says that no observations have been received from other foreign Powers.

6.40 P.M.

The Egyptian Note again expresses sorrow and horror at the execrable murder of Sir Lee Stack, but says that the Government cannot admit that it is in any way responsible. It cannot admit that the crime is a natural result of the political campaign.

Continuing, the Note quotes Article 46 of the Constitution in reference to the Sudan, by which the King is Commander-in-Chief of the Army.

It declares that the demand in reference to Geriza irrigation is premature, to say the least, remarking that Great Britain always promised that an increased cotton area would be arranged under an accord, taking cognisance of Egypt's agricultural interests.

The Government further maintains that Law Number 23, which is a diplomatic agreement, regulates matters concerning foreign officials, and says that in any case it can not reply in detail on this point, as the British Note does not specify the modifications desired.

BRITAIN'S REPLY.

7.50 P.M.

The High Commissioner, Lord Allenby, promptly replied to Zaghlul Pasha's Note, that, in view of the refusal of requirements five and six, instructions were being sent to the Sudan Government to effect the withdrawal from the Sudan of Egyptian officers and Egyptian units, with the specified changes resulting from those measures, and that the Sudan Government was at liberty to increase the area of irrigation at Gezira to an unlimited figure.

Lord Allenby's reply added—"Your Excellency will learn in due course what action is being taken in view of your refusal of requirement seven regarding the protection of foreign interests."

The reply further requests the payment of the indemnity of £500,000 sterling by noon to-morrow.—(Reuter.)

THE £500,000 FINE.

The British Government have decided that the fine of £500,000 to be paid by Egypt shall, subject to provision of compensation for victims, be applied, as they may hereafter direct, to benevolent objects in the Sudan, for which country Sir Lee Stack laid down his life.

THE SIRDAR'S FUNERAL.

STRIKING DEMONSTRATION OF RESPECT.

CAIRO, Sunday.

Never, even on the occasion of the passing of her own rulers, has Egypt witnessed a scene like that which marked the funeral on Saturday morning of Major-General Sir Lee Stack, Sirdar of the Egyptian Army, and Governor-General of the Sudan. Never has a more striking illustration of international unity been displayed in Egypt, the most cosmopolitan of countries, than that shown by the attitude of all communities when they joined together to testify to their respect and affection for the dead British soldier and their horror and indignation for last Wednesday's deed.

The troops engaged in the ceremony, both British and Egyptian, were under the command of Lieutenant-General Sir Richard Haking, General Officer Commanding the British troops in Egypt. At an early hour the city was astir, and crowds began to assemble outside the Pro-Cathedral, and the route—which passed down the Sharia Fuad el Awal, across the Opera Square, down the Sharia Kasr el Nil, past the scene of the outrage, and along the Sharia Kasr el Aini and through Old Cairo to the cemetery—was lined with British troops.

The Sirdar's body had been lying in State in the Pro-Cathedral, under a guard mounted by British soldiers, and a long line of friends and sympathisers of all classes and denominations had filed past the coffin during the night. On Saturday morning the coffin was in the chancel, covered with the Union Jack and surrounded by wreaths. The High Commissioner, Lord Allenby, and Lady Allenby were among the first official arrivals, and were followed shortly afterwards by the members of the Diplomatic Corps; Said Zulfikar Pasha, representing King Fuad; and Egyptian Ministers, headed by Zaghlul Pasha, the Prime Minister, all in full-dress uniform.

The presence of the Ministers came as a surprise, for it was understood that they had not been invited. However, they pressed so strongly to be allowed to express sympathy by their presence that permission was given at the last moment. They were greeted with a chilly silence by all present, which must have shown them clearly the feeling of the foreign communities. Contrary to custom, they were not given prominent seats, but were shown into a side aisle.—(*The Times* Correspondent.)

MR. GANDHI RECANTS.

DECLARES ADHESION TO SWARAJIST POLICY.

EXTREMISTS GRATIFIED.

BOMBAY, Sunday.

The All-India Congress Committee, which is the Executive of the National Congress, to-day passed a resolution by an overwhelming majority approving the pact concerted between Mr. Gandhi and Mr. C. R. Das and the Pundit Moyilal Nehru on the 7th inst.

The pact stated that as the policy of repression initiated by a Bengal Government with the sanction of the Viceroy was, in the opinion of the signatories of the pact, really aimed at all Swarajists and not merely against those advocating violent methods, co-operation among all parties had become necessary. The non-co-operation programme was to be suspended and the Swarajist Party was to carry on the work of the Central and Provincial Legislatures on behalf of the Congress.

WILL ENTER COUNCIL.

Moving the approval of the pact to-day, Mr. Gandhi treated his hearers to a surprising recantation of views, especially as regards entry into the Legislative Council, which he has hitherto resolutely opposed and which is the main barrier between the orthodox politicians and the Swarajists.

The speech praised the achievements of the Swarajist Council, and referred to the daily growing strength of the Swarajists.

Mr. Gandhi admitted he had lost the power to command universal acceptance of his views, and he confessed that he was not a safe guide for orthodox politicians. The climax was reached when he exclaimed, "I am not a lunatic. I am a reasonable man. I am losing ground gradually, and I now would have no hesitation to bend before Swarajists and Liberals. If necessary I shall bend before the Englishmen also if only they show a change of heart. I believe reason is with the Swarajists." The speech was received with loud and prolonged cheers.

"RIGHT TO REBEL."

Pndit Moyilal Nerhu, the Swarajist leader, said that they as a subject race had a constitutional right to rebel.

Mr. C. R. Das declared—"I feel sure it is a revolutionary not an anarchical movement in Bengal." He added—"The revolution will still go on as long as bureaucracy goes on. There are young men prepared to give up their lives for freedom. You cannot expect them to give up hunger for freedom. I will not have the Revoulticnary Party condemned without a condemnation of the revolutionary tactics of the Government."

TROTSKY MAY FALL.

EFFORTS TO SUPPLANT WAR COMMISSAR.

RIGA, Sunday.

Political circles in Moscow are excited by the publication of numerous resolutions demanding action against Trotsky for alleged unorthodoxy.

Trotsky is still President of the Military Revolutionary Council and Commissar of Military and Naval Affairs, but apparently his colleagues desire to deprive him of power. At a recent conference of political officials of the Red Army and Fleet a resolution was passed to support Zinovieff, Kameneff, and Stalin against Trotsky. Also at a meeting at Moscow of trade unionists a resolution was voted for a decisive campaign against Trotsky's anti-Leninism, demanding measures to prevent a repetition of Trotsky's last year's efforts to bring about a party split.

It is rumoured that the Military Revolutionary Council has been convoked to appoint Trotsky's successor. The most likely candidates are Frenze and Voroshiloff, and the latter is considered to have the best chance.—(Reuter.)

TURKISH CABINET RESIGNS.

ISMET PASHA SUPPLANTED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Sunday.

Ismet Pasha's Cabinet, which has been recently badly shaken by the Opposition, resigned early yesterday morning.

In his struggle to maintain his all-powerful position, Mustapha Kemal Pasha, President of the Turkish Republic, has decided to replace his friend Ismet, whose position is being rapidly undermined, by Fethi Bey, the highly-respected President of the Assembly. Fethi Bey, who is a supporter of Kemal Pasha, but far more independent than Ismet Pasha, is now forming his new Cabinet.

The passing of Ismet Pasha is due more to political than to health reasons.

It is the first success of the new Opposition Party, headed by Raouf Bey. General Kiazim and Kara Bekir Pasha, who allege that Kemal Pasha has become a dictator, through being both President of the Republic and leader of the largest party in the Assembly, are aiming to make him abandon one or the other.

STRONG NEW OPPOSITION.

The new Opposition Party, which is gaining widespread support, so far has only 23 enrolled members out of the 283 members of the Assembly, but these 23 comprise the leading men of the Assembly, including five senior officers of the Turkish Army. The Assembly is now speculating whether Kemal has chosen Fethi Bey to organise a strong Cabinet and try to consolidate the position of the Assembly and make a bitter fight against Raouf Bey, or whether Kemal will advise Fethi Bey to try to consolidate the Opposition, and himself resign the leadership of the People's Party, and content himself chiefly with the ornamental position of President of the Republic.

The principal foreign plank in the platform of Raouf Bey is the encouragement and protection of foreign capital.

ROTOR AIRSHIPS.

GERMANY AND ALLIED AIRMEN.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BERLIN, Sunday.

Major-General Sir F. Brancker reached Berlin to-day from Paris *via* Cologne, *en route* for India. Considerable importance is attached to the discussions the British Air Chief will have here with the German Air Chiefs. It seems that the German Government is determined to maintain its prohibition of the flight over German territory of large type aeroplanes, the removal of such ban to depend on the removal of restrictions which the Allied Governments now impose on Germany in the matter of the construction of civil aeroplanes.

It is pointed out here that, whereas Great Britain has scrupulously respected German air sovereignty, France, by the type of aeroplane used on the French-Rumanian service across South Germany, as usual, takes no notice of Germany's rights.

MUTUAL INTERESTS.

It is remarked further that an agreement on common-sense lines is essential, not only in the interests of Germany, but also in the interests of Great Britain, since Germany is on the England to India route.

Another German argument is that an early settlement of this question is essential if the Allies wish to avail themselves of the application of Herr Anton Flettner's inventions to aviation. It is declared that Herr Flettner is now associated with the Zeppelin and the leading German aeroplane construction companies, and is confident of being able to effect, by the use of rotors, a complete revolution very shortly in regard to airship and aeroplane building.

THE POSITION IN MOROCCO.

MADRID, Friday.

According to official advices, direct communication with Tetuan was not possible either this afternoon or this evening. The storm is still raging in Morocco, and the troops have been compelled to remain in their positions. The evacuation will be continued as soon as the weather improves.—(Reuter.)

VOTE FOR STRIKE.

BALLOT OF DUBLIN BARMEN.

By a majority of five to one the Dublin publicans' assistants have decided to go on strike. The decision was taken at a ballot in Banba Hall, Rutland square, yesterday, when 1,175 members of the Grocers and Vintners' Assistants' Association recorded their votes. If, as now seems probable, the public-houses of Dublin are to close, some 1,400 assistants and apprentices will be affected.

The strike is being declared as a result of the refusal of the publicans to grant certain demands which were made some time ago. These include a flat rate of 65s. per week for qualified assistants, 75s. per week for charge hands, the inauguration of the living out system, and the employment of none but certified members of the Union in the filling of all ordinary vacancies.

The Assistants' Association will meet to-night to discuss plans, and its executive will assemble later in the week to decide upon the date of the strike.

WORKERS' UNION RALLY.

In the Dublin Mansion House yesterday, Mr. James Larkin addressed a largely-attended "rally" of members of the Workers' Union of Ireland. The meeting was held for the election of officers and organising purposes. Admission was restricted to card-holders, and no statement was issued for publication.

"MENACE OF LARKINISM."

The National Executive Council of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union has issued a manifesto (printed to-day in our advertising columns) calling upon the members of the union to "give hearty and active support to the workers on the docks and in the theatres, cinemas, etc., who are standing up against the menace of Larkinism."

THREATENED DEMONSTRATIONS.

There were rumours in Dublin yesterday of a possible attempt to hold "demonstrations" outside the Corinthian and Carlton Cinemas to-night. It is understood that the police will take precautions in view of the threat. They have instructions to arrest men who engage in picketing at establishments where there is no legitimate trade dispute.

GOLD BECOMES LEAD.

INGOTS WORTH £10,000 DISAPPEAR.

Three bars of gold, valued at £10,000, consigned from South Africa to London, disappeared during the journey. The ingots were part of a consignment of twenty-four despatched from Salisbury, Rhodesia, to the London office of the Standard Bank of South Africa.

Each bar was packed in a wooden box, bound heavily with iron, and sealed. The boxes were put on the mail train at Salisbury, and transferred to the Union Castle liner Armadale Castle at Capetown.

The vessel made a call at Madeira and arrived at Southampton last Monday, when the bullion was taken to the train under armed escort and placed in a special coach, which was padlocked and sealed. The armed escort travelled with the gold, and handed it to the representatives of the bank at Waterloo.

None of the boxes appeared to be damaged and the seals were intact; but when the parcels were opened in the bank it was found that in three cases lead of almost identical weight had been substituted for the gold.

Scotland Yard is in communication with the police along the route taken by the gold, both in England and South Africa. The officials of the Union Castle liner are satisfied that the robbery could not have taken place on the vessel while there is no reason to think that there could have been any tampering with the cases between Southampton and the bank. The 1,500 miles' journey from Salisbury to Capetown takes four days.

GRANT FOR ULSTER "SPECIALS."

SIR JAMES CRAIG'S VISIT TO LONDON.

Sir James Craig returned to Belfast last Saturday, after a week in London, where he was in close contact with all the various departments of the Imperial Government which have relationship with Northern Ireland.

He expressed himself "very greatly pleased, indeed, with the result of his visit."

It is understood that Mr. Baldwin's Government, which had previously promised a million pounds for the maintenance of the Ulster Special Constabulary, will implement that undertaking in support of the force. The British Government has undertaken to consider whether it is not possible to give a first reading to the proposed Land Bill for Ulstre before Christmas.

It has also been arranged that when the Imperial Parliament resumes early in the New Year, the second reading of this Land Bill will figure high up in the Order paper, so that, if possible, the Committee stage may be reached at least by Easter.

HASHISH MAY BE BANNED.

SOUTH AFRICAN SUGGESTION.

With reference to the proposal to include hashish in the list of narcotics to be dealt with at the present Opium Conference in Geneva, Sir Malcolm Delevingne, Great Britain, at Saturday's sitting, said that the matter had been under the consideration of the Opium Advisory Committee of the League of Nations. He added that the South African Government had forwarded a suggestion to the League last year that Indian hemp, which is the plant from which hashish is obtained, should be treated as one of the so-called habit forming drugs, and that it should be brought within the scope of the Hague Convention.

Sir Malcolm added that, the Advisory Committee considered the matter this year and passed a resolution recommending that the Governments should be invited to furnish information regarding the production and use of, and traffic in this substance in their territories, together with their observations on the proposal submitted by South Africa.

TOWARDS DISARMAMENT.

NO GENERALS IN NORWEGIAN ARMY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
CHRISTIANIA, Sunday.

The reorganisation of the Norwegian Army along really peace-time lines is being considered by the Cabinet.

The reorganisation plan embodied in the proposal which is put forward by one of the heads of the Norwegian Army is radical in its nature, and would do away with all generals during peace-time. As the scheme involves the cutting down of considerable military expenditures the probability is that the plan will receive v-ry careful attention from the Government.

ANOTHER JEWEL RAID.

BIRMINGHAM OUTRAGE REPEATED.

Imitating the methods of the motor bandits who raided a Birmingham jeweller's last Thursday, two men smashed a pawnbroker's window in full view of Saturday night shoppers in a Birmingham thoroughfare, and, securing rings valued at about £40, shook off their pursuers by boarding a passing tramcar.

The police have ascertained that the mallet used by the motor bandits in Thursday's raid was purchased in a Birmingham shop. The assistant who sold it states that he had a clear recollection of a young man who bought it.

IRELAND AND THE DAVIS CUP.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

Ireland has sent a challenge for the Davis Cup Lawn Tennis competition.—(Reuter.)

FIFTH BY-ELECTION.

MINISTERIAL PARTY WINS DONEGAL.

MAJORITY OF ELECTORS DO NOT VOTE.

The result of the Donegal by-election was declared at Lifford last Saturday night as follows:—

D. McCullough (Cumann na nGaedheal)	**24,919**
T. Daly (Republican)	**18,371**
Majority	**6,548**

The constituency, the largest in the country, has an electorate of 96,977, and returns eight members to the Dail. At the general election in September, 1923, 54,465 voters polled, and Major Sproule Myles (Ind.) was the only candidate who received more than the quota (5,859) on the first count. The first preferences recorded for the four successful Cumann na nGaedheal candidates totalled only 17,974, while the two successful Republican candidates received 6,834. The first preferences given to all the candidates totalled—

Cumann na nGaedheal	19,498
Republican	13,067
Independent	9,982
Farmers	7,717

Proposing a vote of thanks to the Returning Officer, Mr. McCullough said that, while he had no intention of making a political speech, there were one or two remarks he should like to make. Throughout the election it was his desire that there should be free speech for everyone who desired to express his views on the issue before the people. Those who had a message to give to the country must be allowed to do so unmolested. Some incidents did happen; but they were not of major importance; and, fortunately, the whole election passed over without any untoward happening.

The result of the election showed that the people were for peace, order, and prosperity in Ireland.

Mr. Daly, in seconding the motion, said that the majority against the Republicans had been reduced from 26,000 to 6,000, which showed that Donegal was coming back again to its old allegiance. Mr. McCullough said that they were going to have peace and prosperity in the Free State. He said that they could not have peace and prosperity, because Ireland unfree could never be at peace.

ELECTORS' APATHY.

GOVERNMENT PARTY'S TASK.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

With the announcement of Mr. McCullough's success in Donegal the list of returns from the five by-elections in the Free State is complete. Few, one ventures to think, will claim that the results represent anything like an overwhelming vote of confidence in the present Administration.

The general belief is that all five seats could, and should have, been won by the Ministerial party if its organisation had been more active and the Government had been kept in closer touch with public opinion.

Ever since the vacancy occurred in the representation of North Mayo, the Republicans had been working steadily and energetically to organise the electors of that constituency in favour of a Republican nominee. It was only two or three weeks before the day of nominations that the Cumann na nGaedheal Party decided to contest the seat, and much valuable time was then frittered away in efforts to secure a suitable candidate. In the circumstances, it was too much to expect that the political ground lost to the Republicans in the previous four or five months could be recovered within a fortnight. At the opening of the by-election campaign, there was scarcely a town or village in the constituency that had not been canvassed by the organisers from Suffolk street. The electioneering activity of the Ministerial party came about a month too late.

Nine by-elections remain to be decided. So far all the indications are that again there will be a straight fight between the Ministerial Party and the Republicans. The apparent indifference of the Government to the voice of public opinion and the evident inactivity of its party organisation are subjects of much criticism in the country. Here and there one hears the complaint that a deputation representative of important public interests has been "cold-shouldered" or politely referred to a departmental assistant secretary, who has promised little and given less. High taxation and dissension in the Ministerial ranks are contributory causes of the apathetic state in which a by-election will now find the electorate.

A prominent member of Cumann na nGaedheal, in discussing the situation with me yesterday, remarked: "There is a very real danger that a political 'day out' may set in among us. The Government lives in a glass case, and, I am afraid, has lost touch altogether with the people on whom it depends for support. The Government lacks personality just now for some reason, and if we are not to have a repetition of the Republican successes in North Mayo and Dublin, it is up to us to bestir ourselves immediately. The Cumann na nGaedheal represents the common people of the country, and the least we can do is to tell the common people that in time."

It has not yet been decided when the writs for the eight or nine pending by-elections will be issued, but it is stated that at least four of them will be issued immediately after the Christmas holidays.

SOUTHERN IRISH LOYALISTS.

SUGGESTED INQUIRY INTO COMPENSATION AWARDS.

The Committee of the Irish Claims Compensation Association, in a statement of the present position with regard to the claims of Southern Irish loyalists, issued on Saturday, describes the Damage to Property Act, 1923, as "a travesty of justice and a distinct breach of the pledges given previously."

The results of compensation cases heard under that Statute recently, says the Committee, are "extremely unsatisfactory," and "in nearly every case the amount of compensation awarded for destruction of buildings is inadequate, and reinstatement conditions are attached to the awards which render them of little value, because the owners have no guarantee for peaceful possession, even if they can—which is doubtful—rebuild their homes, and they have been threatened under the provisions of the Land Act, 1923, that compulsory expropriation of their demesnes and untenanted lands will take place."

"It is well known that the finances of the Free State, even if perfectly willing to meet these claims, are not in such a satisfactory condition as to make it possible," the statement proceeds, "and the Committee are of opinion that the time has arrived when an inquiry should be made as to what monies have been paid over to the Free State for compensation by the British Treasury, how the money has been allocated, and what funds are at the disposal of the Free State to meet the claims which are due. The Committee decided to press again for the appointment of a British Judicial Commission, similar to the Commission which was appointed and adjudicated upon claims of the Irish Republican deportees in 1923. They feel that Irish loyalists who have suffered in consequence of their loyalty to the then existing Government are entitled to as much consideration as those Republicans who were, on their own admission, engaged in waging war against Great Britain."

The Committee has decided to prepare a report, with all the information up to date of compensation claims, and to ask the Prime Minister to receive a deputation.

BLAMING THE SUN.

ANOTHER WAR PROPHESIED.

An astronomer of some repute, Abbé Moreau, who believes that sunspots are the cause of the political madness of mankind, has issued a warning that danger confronts Europe during the next four years, culminating in 1928.

The Abbé was one of those to predict the 1914-18 catastrophe. He has studied sunspots since 1860, and maintains that their prominence means madness and wars on earth.

LATE NEWS.

BRITAIN AND EGYPT.

THE NOTES EXAMINED.

The Times, in the course of a leading article, recapitulates the substance of the demands in the British Note to the Egyptian Government, and observes:—It will be seen that they all fall within the four points "absolutely reserved to the discretion of His Majesty's Government," at the time when the independence of Egypt was recognised. We have always fully observed the rights accorded to Egypt by that settlement. We shall continue to observe them. We shall give Egypt her rights as we have promised to do, whether that promise in the first instance was wise or unwise, but we shall give her no more than her strict rights, and we shall stand upon our own.

The Sudan was made the pretext for the agitation of which Sir Lee Stack has been the latest victim. The Note, therefore, necessarily contains several important demands in regard to that region, and these, indeed, form its most immediate and most far-reaching part. It calls upon the Egyptian Government to order the withdrawal, within twenty-four hours, of all Egyptian officers and purely Egyptian units, and to effect such resulting changes as may be required. The Sudanese units of the Sudan Army are in future to form a purely Sudanese defence force, and to owe allegiance to the Sudan Government alone, under the supreme command of the Governor-General. By a further provision, the concession made to Egyptian opinion by a promise to limit the irrigation area in the Gezira—a complicated outstanding question which is not directly concerned with the immediate matter in hand—is withdrawn. Finally, the Egyptian Government are informed that, failing immediate compliance with the demands made, His Majesty's Government will take immediate action for the protection of their interests both in Egypt and in the Sudan.

The Egyptian reply has not been satisfactory. It shuffles upon some points, including the suppression of demonstrations, and rejects practically all the demands as to the Sudan. The High Commissioner answered it at once by informing the Government of King Fuad that instructions have been given to the Sudan Government to effect the withdrawal of the Egyptian officers and units, and informing them also that the proffered limitation in irrigation is revoked. Action is to be taken as to the refusal to comply with the British requirement concerning the protection of foreign interests, but its character and scope have not yet been announced.

There can be no reasonable doubt of the necessity of the action which the Government have adopted. It is not only in our interests, but it is in the interests of all civilised nations, and especially of the Powers with interests in North Africa, that the incipient anarchy which the inefficiency or the complaisance of the Egyptian Government has fostered should be stayed before it is too late.

LONDON PRESS VIEWS.

GREAT BRITAIN IN EARNEST.

The *Daily News*:—The British Note demanding reparation from the Egyptian Government for the assassination of the Sirdar is severe enough in its terms to satisfy the strongest public opinion in this country.

The crucial part of the Note is, of course, that in which the Government calls for the immediate withdrawal from the Sudan of all Egyptian officers and units, and thus reveals its intention of gaining absolute control of the Sudan territories. The apparently interminable quarrel with Egypt may be ended, and the problem of our mutual relationships definitely solved if the Egyptian people realise that on this question of the Sudan Great Britain is in earnest and resolute.

A STIFF DOCUMENT.

The *Daily Chronicle*:—The British Note to Egypt, with the explanatory letter following it, is a stiff document, however, you regard it—needlessly and unwisely so in some aspects. We must, however, look at the whole situation and the whole policy, if we are to form a wise judgment, remembering too, that we could render no worse service, either to Great Britain or to Egypt, than to delude Egyptians with the idea that resistance on their part would receive support on ours.

FULFILLING A TRUST.

The *Daily Telegraph*:—It is not usual that the delivery of an ultimatum is accepted with satisfaction by almost every part of the civilised world. But the strong action which the British have taken has enlisted the respect and assured the gratitude of even those nations which have in the past been inclined to criticise our administration and development of Egypt. There were but two courses open to us. Either we had to fulfil the trust which we had assumed for Egypt or we had to accept a gross insult, which would have gone far to mark the end of our *prestige*, not only in Egypt, but throughout the East, would have left the greatest of the world's routes at the mercy of a race, which has proved incapable of governing itself; would have betrayed the interests of other nations, and must ultimately have involved the intervention of other Governments.

SUFFICIENT TROOPS.

The *Westminster Gazette*:—As the British demands are not dependent on the Egyptian Government's good-will, but can be enforced as and how the authorities think well, what is for the moment the chief point of interest is whether M. Zaghlul will be strong and wise enough to give a last-hour demonstration of his desire to co-operate with us, as guardians of British and European rights in Egypt, and as the trustees of the civilising *régime* in the Sudan, in the spirit of many past professions.

We hope that he will be so wise and strong. The assurance that we have sufficient troops in the Sudan or available to impress the Egyptian Government and people with the measure of our responsibility, is the first factor in the situation.

ACTION, NOT DISCUSSION.

The *Daily Express*:—We are faced with a dependent race swollen with conceit, incited by its leaders to outrage, guilty of the murder of a British Governor, and oppressing by its incapacity for government, not only itself, but the adjoining people of the Sudan. The situation cried out for action long ago. The murder of the Sirdar made it impossible to delay that action an hour longer. The ultimatum was inevitable and just, and the twenty-four hours was a proper period for acceptance. Assassination, incompetence and frenzy are not factors to be left to discussion.

VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS IN ICELAND.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
REYKJAVIK, ICELAND, Sunday.

Fresh volcanic eruptions are reported in the central district of Iceland.

No great danger is anticipated, as the eruptions are occurring in uninhabited glacier districts in the interior of the island.

CHINA'S CHRISTIAN GENERAL.

PEKIN, Sunday.

Feng Yu-hsiang, the "Christian General," against whom Wu Pei-fu and the Yangtze Tuchuns have apparently entered into some sort of alliance, has arrived here. It is announced that he intends to resign and hand over the direction of his troops to the War Ministry, after which he wishes to make a tour of Europe and America.—(Reuter.)

TO NEW YORK BY FERRY BOAT.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Sunday.

Several hundreds of passengers who arrived here yesterday on the Berengaria became very incensed when the captain decided that, owing to the weather conditions, it would be too risky to dock the vessel.

Some 300 passengers hired a ferry boat, while Mr. J. P. Morgan and several others wirelessed for tugs to take them ashore.

STOLEN BYZANTINE RELICS.

ROME, Friday.

Replying to a question in the Senate regarding the theft of Byzantine relics from the museum at Ravenna, the Minister of Public Instruction said that all the possible measures for the discovery of the thieves and the recovery of the articles stolen had been taken, and he hoped to be able to give the Senate further information on the subject later on.—(Reuter.)

ARMAGH'S DAY OF SORROW.

TRIBUTES TO THE LATE CARDINAL.

MASS IN SISTINE CHAPEL.

TO BE ATTENDED BY THE POPE.

Not for many years has Armagh witnessed a demonstration of mourning such as that which took place in its streets yesterday, when thousands from all parts of the Archdiocese and from other Sees went to the Roman Catholic Cathedral to pay respect to the late Cardinal Logue's memory and to pray for the repose of his soul.

The vast cathedral was crowded from early morning until late at night, and the roads were closely packed for miles with motor cars and every manner of conveyance.

A solemn Requiem Mass will be celebrated at ten o'clock this morning in the cathedral, where the Cardinal's remains lie in state.

Messages of sympathy continue to be received by the Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell.

THE CARDINAL AND THE LITTLE ONES.

DR. O'DONNELL'S TRIBUTE.

Solemn Requiem Mass for the repose of Cardinal Logue's soul was celebrated in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, on Saturday at 10 o'clock a.m. The Mass had been specially arranged for children, and they attended in large numbers from the various schools. In addition there were many adults in the congregation.

The Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell presided, and the celebrant, deacon and subdeacon were the Right Rev. Monsignor Ward, Adm., Armagh; the Rev. J. Pentony, C.C., Armagh, and the Rev. T. Rafferty, C.M., St. Patrick's College. The Rev. E. O'Callaghan was master of ceremonies.

The Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell, in an address to the children, said that these were sad days in Armagh. Great sorrow had come upon them, for their loss was great. The hand of death had snatched from them their father and their friend. The Cardinal was a loving, tender father and a warm, kind friend, and they had the feeling of orphans in the grief that filled their hearts. His high dignity had left his meekness and gentleness what they were in childhood. He moved among them like one of themselves, only more humble than anyone else. His loving heart, his great mind, his generous hand, his friendly word, his wise advice, his clear teaching and his calm patience were at the command of all.

Like the Lord Himself, his ways were the true ways of mercy and truth. He was the same to all men. Be it Pope or King or curate, rich man or poor man, that he met, he was always his own calm self, radiating the goodness and kindness and wisdom which he had both from nature and from grace. But, while all things to all men, the young, the sick and the poor were his special friends.

He had our Lord's liking for little children. He was on easy terms with them at once and they with him. That was a gift not given to all good men. But he had it in a rare degree, as if the innocence and simplicity and candour of childhood struck sympathetic chords in a nature that was simple and true, bright and humble. His ways with children went hand in hand with his love of nature and his kindness to animals. But he was fonder of children than of the little birds he fed with crumbs. He was ever thinking of their welfare. He would much rather go hungry himself than see a child hungry. But it was for their souls made to the image of God that he was ever concerned. The Christian education of the child came with him first, then the avoiding of the dangers that drew the young from the path of virtue. Then the due receiving of the Bread of Life in the Sacrament of the altar.

He would risk his own life to save a little child from falling into a deep pool, especially the whirlpool of sin; and it was the ceaseless work of his life to provide schools that would give the very best education in the things a child should know for this world. The late Cardinal could feel for every woe, and rejoice with every joy. But the long days of eternity he kept ever in view. For the last end he tried to prepare others as he prepared himself.

As a priest he was often out all night, when called to the bedside of some dying creature far away. Truly he was a man of God, sent to God's work by word and example. The Church gave him high Orders. The Pope, who sent such a beautiful message of sympathy, put him in a place next his own. Great men paid him respect. But nothing could draw his heart from the children of his flock, and the children of Armagh were in closest touch with its beatings. He had unbounded confidence in the prayers of children, in full faith that Christ would not refuse what His little ones asked. They would make good the Cardinal's confidence. Now they would pray to Our Divine Lord for him, and they would ask Mary Immaculate to intercede for him. They would entreat their Heavenly Father not to allow His great and sainted servant, who was their loving father here below, to be delayed on the way to the happy home where he should look upon His face for evermore.

A DEVOTED LIFE.

"EVERY INCH A PRIEST."

The Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell, at 11.30 o'clock Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, yesterday, spoke of the late Cardinal Logue's devotion to the Church and to the welfare of mankind, and dwelt particularly on his life of prayer and communion with God. Dr. O'Donnell said:—For all the messages of appreciation and sympathy sent us we are profoundly grateful. I am not going to say anything to you of what our dear Cardinal Primate was to the Church at large, or to Ireland, or even to the Archdiocese, or of the history of his life, or of his great endowments. At the Month's Mind his panegyric will be preached. Our Holy Father, the Pope, in his touching message of sympathy, was pleased to impart the Apostolic Benediction to console the clergy and people of the Archdiocese in their sorrow, and it is only right that this Sunday should not pass without some words of consolation being addressed to the grief-stricken flock here among whom he lived from day to day.

It consoles us all to think of his daily life, as we saw it. He was not always engaged in erecting beautiful buildings for the worship of God, the service of religion, and the education of the young; but for years much of his time went that way, and when he was so employed you well know how he gave

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himself to the work with all his energy, as if he had little else to do. There was nothing that was not substantial and permanent in what he erected, and he had the assistance of devout priests, who left nothing undone to lighten his burden. But all the time his diocesan work went on, and there were wider cares in which he could have little help. All the time he went through the regular daily exercises of piety, in public and in private, without any curtailment. He loved the beauty of the material building which is God's home, but he loved far more the beauty of the temple of the Holy Ghost in the soul of man. He worked for God and for souls. He was every inch a priest.

It came as second nature to him to give himself with all his strength to the service of religion. He was one who walked before God, and by word and example helped many on the way to salvation. You know how he spent the last day of his life. He spent it, as he spent every other day of his life, under the eyes of his loving people. His was a life of prayer and communion with God. His love of the priesthood sprang from his love of our Divine Lord. His compassion for the afflicted came from the same source. This compassion was never barred; it was of the practical kind, in the spirit of the Saviour, and Our Lord would make his reward exceeding great. He constantly thought of judgment, and he never failed to remember his last end; and when death came it found him prepared, as far as man could judge, for the saintly end of a great and saintly life.

No wonder you loved him. He did great and heroic work for God and man. While we pray for him from our hearts, we have in our minds that his lot is with St. Patrick and St. Malachy, and blessed Oliver Plunkett, and all the saints who went before him in greatness and holiness of life. Of him, in firm hope, we repeat the crowning beatitude—"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

OTHER PULPIT REFERENCES.

CHURCH OF IRELAND.

Pulpit references to the death of Cardinal Logue were made in the several Protestant churches in Armagh yesterday.

Canon Tichborne, rector of Armagh, preaching in St. Mark's Church last evening, said that as a representative of the Church of Ireland in Armagh, he would like, on their behalf, to express their sincere sympathy with the members of the Roman Catholic community in the great loss they had sustained through the removal, by death, of His Eminence Cardinal Logue. He was a man who, in his private capacity, had endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact. A lover of the poor, generous in subscriptions to all philanthropic objects, he was the friend of all. Speaking personally, he had the deepest sympathy with the clergy and people of the Roman Catholic Church in Armagh. Knowing how much they valued the late Cardinal as a friend and a chief pastor he realised that the loss to them was irreparable.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Rev. David Dowling, preaching in First Armagh Presbyterian Church, yesterday morning, said—I would not be truly representing the sentiments of the Presbyterians of this city if I withheld public acknowledgment of our sympathy with the members of the Roman Catholic Church in the loss which they have sustained by the death of His Eminence Cardinal Logue. The late Primate was a faithful shepherd of his flock, a distinguished citizen of our ancient city, and a generous supporter of all the public institutions that had for their aim the relieving of distress. In spite of all the religious and political differences which of recent years have been so acute and embittered, those of our community who have had the honour of his acquaintance had always found him a courteous and kindly gentleman. Now that he has gone "Where beyond the voices there is peace," we can only regret that his latter days were so clouded by a tragedy which all true Irishmen deplore.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Preaching in Armagh Methodist Church yesterday morning the Rev. John H. Walton said—The passing of His Eminence Cardinal Logue, whose name has been ever so long identified with Armagh, touches the life of our city in an intimate way, and has drawn forth from all denominations sincere sympathy with the Church which has been so signally bereaved. We, as representing in this city, the Methodist Church in Ireland, join with many others in this and in other lands in condolence with the Catholic Church, in the loss which she has suffered. Methodist people have always claimed to be "the friends of all, and the enemies of none." We have our churches scattered throughout the South and West of Ireland, and our ministers and people live on the most friendly terms with our Roman Catholic fellow-countrymen, and the most kindly feelings exist between them. When stationed here twenty-two years ago, in company with two of our ministers, I went to see the Cardinal. He was taking a walk in the grounds, and on seeing us came forward and conducted us through the building, indicating to us the various points of interest in the interior decorations. We were impressed with his urbanity and genial disposition, and the courteous attention shown to strangers. We join with the other Churches of the city in expressing sympathy with the Catholic Church in her great loss."

ENGLISH SYMPATHY.

STATEMENT BY CARDINAL BOURNE.

Cardinal Bourne, presiding on Saturday morning last at the annual conference of the Catholic Confederation of England and Wales, held at Pagani's Restaurant, said that the sympathy of all English Catholics went out to the Hierarchy and the people of Ireland in their loss by the death of His Eminence Cardinal Logue.

Cardinal Bourne said that a Solmen Mass of Requiem would be sung in Westminster Cathedral on Monday, at 11.30, at which he would assist, and give the Absolution.

REQUIEM MASS IN DROGHEDA.

Solemn Requiem Mass and Office for the Dead will be celebrated this morning at St. Peter's Church, Drogheda, in connection with the death of Cardinal Logue. The members of the Drogheda Corporation will attend. No meeting of the local Harbour Board will be held on Tuesday.

REQUIEM MASS IN SISTINE CHAPEL.

THE POPE TO ATTEND.

ROME, Sunday.

The Pope will be present on the 27th inst. at a Requiem Mass in the Sistine Chapel for the repose of the soul of the late Cardinal Logue, this being the first Mass celebrated in the Chapel for a deceased Cardinal for over a year.—(Reuter.)

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY.

Among those who have sent messages of sympathy in connection with Cardinal Logue's death are—Cardinal Begin, Quebec; Cardinal Hayes, New York; the Society of Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, New York; the Gaels of Ireland, Dublin; the Bishop of Raphoe; the officers and men of the Royal Irish Fusiliers; the Armagh Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society; the Irish Representative, Paris; Drogheda Harbour Board; Sir Edmund and Lady Bellingham; the Mayor of Waterford; the Rector of the Irish College, Salamanca; the Belgian Consul, Dublin, and the Blackrock Urban Council.

The Limerick County Council, at its meeting on Saturday, passed a resolution, expressing its deep regret at the death of Cardinal Logue.

NEW YORK FURNACE TRAGEDY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

Chemists and pathologists who have examined the remains of Mrs. Sheatsley, wife of a well-known pastor and University professor, whose body was found in a furnace at her home, have testified that she was strangled before being placed in the furnace.

A verdict of suicide had been returned by a coroner's jury, but the Public Prosecutor and others held that Mrs. Sheatsley had been the victim of foul play.

ITALY WANTS PEACE.

SIGNOR MUSSOLINI'S VICTORY.

WHY FASCISM MUST CONTINUE.

ROME, Sunday.

After declaring in Chamber to-day that it was impossible to govern without Fascism, Signor Mussolini said that even should there be a sudden collapse of Fascism, it would be followed not by accession to power of the parties of the Centre, but by the rise of the extremists.

"I am happy to declare," added Signor Mussolini, "that Fascism is completely aware of the necessity for being the most disciplined party while being the most peaceful and most obedient to the law. Fascism, least of all parties, must disturb public order, for any instance to the contrary would be in absolute contradiction with the Government. This is what Fascists desire, and will certainly carry out.

"I am perfectly aware that Italy desires a policy of peace, because for some thirty years she has passed through one crisis after another until the Great War, at which epoch the Italian people reached its maturity.

"We wish to bring peace to this beloved Fatherland, which, strengthening its sinews and fortifying its spirit, is little by little becoming from North to South a great and harmonious family.

"Let us go on with a pure heart towards the new sun of the Italian Fatherland."

Signor Mussolini's speech was followed by scenes of prolonged enthusiasm.

ROME, Sunday.

Yesterday's sitting of the Chamber was one of the most memorable that has been held in the Italian Parliament, not so much because Signor Mussolini scored a victory which was inevitable, but owing to the greatness of his victory in the face of strong Opposition speeches by such men as Signor Giolitti, Signor Orlando, Signor Salandra, and representatives of the ex-Servicemen.

The proportions of the victory can better be gauged when it is remembered that even if that section of the Opposition which is popularly referred to as having retired on the Aventine had been present the Government's majority would have been close on two hundred.

In substance, everyone agreed implicitly, or explicitly, that Signor Mussolini was the only man who at the present moment could head a Government to re-establish peace and maintain order, repress violence, and curb the too-ardent Fascisti—beginning with Signor Mussolini himself, as he himself admitted interrupting Signor Salandra, amidst the hilarity of the Chamber.—(Reuter.)

"DOWNFALL IMMINENT."

GENERAL GARIBALDI'S PROPHECY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

General Peppino Garibaldi, grandson of the famous General Garibaldi, is living quietly in Paris. He is not going to fight any duels with the Fascists, he declares, but nevertheless he foretells the imminent downfall of Signor Mussolini and the Black Shirts' *régime*. "The iron fist of Mussolini will crumble into dust before the first day of 1925," he declares.

Tall, gaunt, greyed at the temples, the descendant of the great leader receives scores of Italians who aim at overthrowing the Fascist Government.

Challenged to a duel by the Fascist chief, Moreni, General Garibaldi declared before he left Rome that he would face Signor Mussolini personally on the field of honour, but that he declined to meet any hired fighters.

THE KING AND "GIPSY" SMITH.

MESSAGE TO HUGE CONGREGATION.

The huge congregation assembled at the Albert Hall yesterday evening to hear "Gipsy" Smith sent the following message to the King at Buckingham Palace:—"This congregation of loyal Methodists and others, worshipping at the Royal Albert Hall, humbly beg His Majesty to accept their greetings, and to bespeak His Majesty's interest in the great London Evangelistic campaign now in progress at the Royal Albert Hall."

His Majesty replied as follows:—"The King cordially thanks the congregation assembled in the Albert Hall for their loyal message, and wishes God speed to the effort in which the Methodist churches are now engaged."

After reading the King's message, "Gipsy" Smith asked the congregation to sing the National Anthem, which they did with great heartiness.

PAINTINGS FOR MOSCOW.

ART TREASURES MOVED FROM PETROGRAD.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MOSCOW, Sunday.

A hundred and forty-one paintings by Rembrandt, Rubens, and Vandyke, the chief treasures of the Ermitage Museum at Petrograd, the biggest art gallery in the world, are being moved to Moscow, because the Soviets declare that Moscow and not Petrograd is the centre of Russia.

The Ermitage's million pounds' worth of paintings will eventually be housed in Moscow, as well as 15,000 pieces of china given to the Czars from Peter the Great downwards by Chinese and Japanese Emperors.

The contents of the Pushkin, Oldenbursky, Kotzebu and Yousoupoff galleries are also going to Moscow.

JAURES TO THE PANTHEON.

STATE FUNERAL IN PARIS.

From ten o'clock yesterday morning various delegations and large crowds filed past the catafalque erected in front of the Chamber of Deputies, Paris, on which rested the coffin containing the remains of Jean Jaurès, the Socialist leader, who was shot just before the outbreak of the war. At one o'clock the coffin was placed on a bier, carried by a number of miners in their working clothes. A procession formed up, comprising all the members of the Cabinet, Presidents of both Houses of Parliament, a large number of deputies, the Municipal Council, and delegations of French and foreign workmen. Music was rendered by the Garde Republicaine.

In the Pantheon the coffin was placed on a catafalque, surrounded by cressets. M. Herriot, the Prime Minister, in a moving speech, reviewed the life of Jean Jaurès. The body was afterwards removed to the crypt. A body of Communists followed the procession at a distance.

BRITISH BUILDING BOOM.

BOYS BUSY BRICK-MAKING.

Resulting from the immense demand for bricks, caused by the house-building boom, new pay rates and conditions are to be paid to boys and youths engaged in brick-making in the Northern section of England from December 1st.

According to the arrangement made with the Northern Conciliation Board, the scale is based on payment to boys fourteen years of age of 4½d. per hour, with an increase of a halfpenny at the end of every six months until twenty-one years old.

THE SECRETARIAL COURSE at SKERRY'S COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, 10 Harcourt st., Dublin, is the best possible preparation for a Business Career, and includes expert tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, Book-keeping, Office Routine, etc. Prospectus free.—(Advt.)

NEXT GERMAN PRESIDENT.

HERR EBERT WANTS TO RETIRE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

I learn from official sources that President Ebert has finally decided to leave office, and to refuse to be a candidate for election when the selection of President for the German Republic comes up in July next.

President Ebert has also indicated that he favours Chancellor Marx for the Presidency, and, inasmuch as Chancellor Marx would thereby get President Ebert's Social Democratic Party support as well as the support of his own Catholic Party, official circles are counting upon Chancellor Marx becoming the next President of Germany.

The reason for President Ebert's decision is twofold. First, he is tired of an office to which he was never elected, but was appointed at the Weimar Constitutional Convention. Secondly, because the Monarchists and Nationalists are concentrating an attack upon him. The Nationalists call him the Heritage of the German revolution, which is true, as President Ebert is the only big politician of the revolutionary era remaining in high office.

President Ebert wants to give the other party a chance to keep the Presidency and retire completely, if his friends will let him.

President Ebert's supporters, however, are already working for him to take the Chancellorship, provided the Social Democratic Party gets a bigger vote than the Nationalists in the December elections, and become the largest party, which seems very likely. President Ebert, however, then would run into opposition with Foreign Minister Stresemen, who held the Chancellorship a long time, and who is ambitious to hold important office again.

PLOT THAT FAILED.

GREEK GOVERNMENT SECURE.

ATHENS, Sunday.

Internal events here during the past week may be described as a storm in a tea cup. General Loufas, following the example of General Tseroulis and General Panayotopoulos, and encouraged apparently by the leniency shown to the latter, attempted a *coup d'etat*, which was a complete failure from the very outset, as the soldiers concerned refused to obey the orders given them by the handful of General Loufa's followers.

This latest attempt to overthrow the Government evoked no interest, and on all sides the hope is expressed that exemplary punishment will be meted out to the guilty parties.

The revolts, or attempted revolts, of the past months have demonstrated that the bulk of the Army and Navy are determined to abstain from political movements. The systematic obstruction offered in the Chamber by the party of M. Papanastassiou, the leader of the Opposition, culminated in a division on a vote of confidence, which resulted in a Government majority of two to one.

The Government's critics had been making various charges against the Government in connection with labour troubles. The present Government, under the Premiership of M. Michalakopoulos, appears to be quite stable in spite of reports to the contrary that have been circulated.

Note.—General Loufas and others were arrested following the discovery of an alleged plot, hatched by a few discontented officers, to seize armoured cars and surround the National Assembly in Athens during an all night sitting.

THE WRONG VICTIM.

GRUESOME STORY FROM HUNGARY.

A grim story is published in a Berlin newspaper from Grosswandein, in Hungary.

A farmer was returning at night with his young son from the market, and as he had a considerable amount of money with him, for safety's sake he placed it in a purse, which he tied round his son's neck. During the walk home he was attacked by a man and murdered. The boy was able to escape to the nearest village, where he sought protection in the first house he came to, occupied by a widow with her ten-year son.

The two children were put to bed by the woman, after she had been told by the boy of his father's fate and his own escape. Shortly afterwards the murderer came to the house, told the woman what he had done, and that a boy had got away with the money.

On hearing the boy was actually in her house, the man and woman determined to rob him, and then to throw his body into the river.

The boy, however, heard this conversation, and slipped out and fetched the police. When they reached the house they found that the woman, in the darkness, had by mistake murdered her own son by burning him in the oven.

GREAT AERODROME.

ENGLISH TRANSATLANTIC TERMINUS.

The aerodrome to be constructed at Woodford, Cheshire, is expected to develop into a first-class air station for all kinds of air traffic.

A farm of 163 acres has been acquired as the site. Woodford may become a centre for training pilots for the special air reserve and the Territorial Air Force, and is likely to be the first air port in England for transatlantic flights. The aerodrome will be ready for use in the spring.

"CATALOGS" AND "PEDAGOGS."

Simplified spelling, including the dropping of superfluous "ough" and "ue" to words like though, through, catalogue, and pedagogue, was endorsed by the New York State Teacher's Association at a recent meeting in Washington.

According to a statement issued by the association, twenty-two State Teachers' Associations have approved the movement, and 173 universities, colleges, and normal schools, including nineteen State universities, have formally adopted simplified spellings.

AMERICAN AUTHOR SECRETLY WATCHED.

When Mr. John Wesley de Kay, an American author, was charged at Bow street on Saturday on an extradition warrant with participation in a fraud on an American bank, Mr. A. L. Gray, formerly American Consul at Lucerne, said that he had been asked to keep a watch on de Kay.

During the war, de Kay was regarded as a German agent and a Bolshevik, and was watched secretly.

CROSSING THE SAHARA IN MOTORS.

News has reached Paris that the Mission, headed by M. Gradis, and accompanied by Marshal Franchet Desperey, which is crossing the Sahara in six-wheeled motor cars, arrived at Adrar, some 400 kilometres south of Colomb Bechar, on Saturday, November 15, at midnight, after a long trek, lasting nineteen hours.

The Mission will now have to cross the desolate region of the Sahara known as the Tanezrouft, where there are no posts from which news can be sent, so that it will be some days before further information is received as to the progress of the explorers.

NEWBROOK RACES.

Special railway facilities have been arranged for Newbrook Races, Mullingar, which take place to-morrow. An announcement appears in our advertisement columns.

ARTIST AND FORGER

A GENIUS IN CRIME.

PAINTER'S ASTONISHING CONFESSION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

Caught in the act of inserting silk threads in a faked hundred dollar note, Ivan Miassoyedow, a famous Russian painter, who was once a member of the Russian Royal Academy and friend of the Tsar and Tsaritsa, has confessed to being the head of an international counterfeiting organisation, and has been sentenced to six years' imprisonment.

According to testimony given by a British agent, who was largely instrumental in rounding up the gang operating in the Crimea, Tiflis, Constantinople, Switzerland, and Italy, Miassoyedow has perfected the finest fake pound notes in the history of the Bank of England. British bank notes, which have hitherto been held the hardest to falsify, proved the easiest for Miassoyedow, owing to his perfection of an invention for printing the water mark on special paper which his sweetheart, an Italian dancer named Bernice, obtained in Milan.

EVIDENCE IN SECRET.

The Court believe the information concerning the oily ink water mark process so dangerous that the evidence was given in secret.

Miassoyedow owed his downfall to two things—a microscopical error in the water mark and the carelessness of the dancer Bernice in obtaining the paper.

The painter blamed the Bolshevists for his turning crooked. He was sentenced to death during the Bolshevik uprising, fled to the Ukraine, joined a circus, and then fled to Constantinople, where, penniless, he met the dancer Bernice, who urged him to use his artistic talent to make counterfeit paper money. Dollar notes were found to be difficult, on account of the silk threads and the difficulty in obtaining paper. The dancer then obtained Italian paper suitable for counterfeiting British notes. Miassoyedow, using his knowledge of colours with great accuracy, soon manufactured thousands.

DOWNFALL DUE TO DANCER.

Asked by the Judge why he did not resume painting pictures, he declared that he painted ten canvases in Germany, but he was not successful in selling them. Finally he burned the paintings because, he said, a man could not be a crook and an artist at the same time. Meanwhile the dancer was demanding money from him for fashionable clothes, so the artist eventually became a confirmed criminal.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

BISHOP FRODSHAM'S VIEWS.

The National Schools at Slaithwaite held their centenary celebrations on Sunday. Bishop Frodsham, Vicar of Halifax, was the special preacher at a Service attended by the local bodies. In the course of his address Bishop Frodsham said that the matter of adequate religious teaching must be faced fairly and squarely. Despite all that the State had done to improve the methods and surroundings of education, they had been weak on the religious side.

Education, therefore, must aim at developing the actual relationship with God, at leading the children to Confirmation, at teaching them something of sacramental grace, at showing them the way to pardon when they did wrong, and to new strength to amend their lives.

"I do not believe," added Bishop Frodsham, "that this nation as a whole desires that children should be taught the emasculated religion which is the product of the Cowper-Temple Clause. The clause has long outlived any usefulness it may have had. The Board of Education is, however, pressing the Church schools in practice out of existence in its desire to improve methods and administration. The Bishop of Wakefield has shown how the Church schools in the operation of the 1920 Act may be left with children under twelve. But if the State allows the Christian religion, as the Church conceives it, to disappear from English life it will lose the sense of Christian duty, the most precious national possession, which will disappear also.

"This country is up against a movement which regards the Christian religion and Christian morality as an evil to destroy at all costs. There is a counter-movement on foot to stop the educational prostitution of the children's minds in proletarian Sunday schools. Repression alone will never exorcise Bolshevism; the best antidote to Bolshevistic poison is the effective teaching of real Christianity. If the State is a house divided against itself—repressing on the one hand anti-Christian propaganda and destroying Christian schools on the other hand—then the King's realm of England must suffer. For God's sake, let us be rational and consistent."

DEAR BREAD IN FRANCE.

EFFORTS TO REDUCE PRICE.

The French Commission, which fixes the price of flour every week, has recognised a further rise of two francs per quintal in flour milled from home-grown wheat, the price being now 154 francs.

A further one franc per quintal must be added for every five per cent. of flour from foreign wheat, which is incorporated with the home-grown product. It is, therefore, probable that there will be another rise in the price of bread, and that a two pound loaf will shortly cost 1 franc 45 centimes.

Efforts are being made by the Government to devise measures by which this continual increase may be checked.

CHOOSING SETTLERS FOR THE WEST.

Six field supervisors have been appointed in Ottawa to select the families who are to come to Canada under the agreement between the Canadian and Imperial Governments.

The agreement between Great Britain and the Dominion requires that Canada should provide farm land on easy terms of payment, while the British Government provides the funds up to £500 per family for equipment.

It is expected that 1,000 families of the 3,000 specified in the agreement will come out in the spring.—(*Times* telegram.)

EMIGRANTS FOR CANADA.

Archbishop O'Leary, of Edmonton, Alberta, has sent the Rev. J. J. Quilty, P.P., to Ireland to seek postulants for his convents, and young men commencing the study of theology, as well as possible settlers of the farming class and girls for domestic service. It is hoped to arrange a sailing for a large number *en masse*, and the emigrants will be accompanied by Father Quilty on their journey by the Canadian-Pacific Line.

Further information is supplied by Father Quilty on application to him at Queenstown Canadian-Pacific office.

FERRARI STAMP SALE.

EXTRAORDINARY PRICES PAID.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

The eleventh sale of the stamps included in the Ferrari de la Renotiere collection realised 1,984,640 francs, making a grand total to date of 18,686,329 francs.

The highest price paid on the last day of the eleventh sale was 51,000 francs for a blue 81 paras Rumanian-Moldavian stamp of 1858. A sum of 35,000 francs was paid for another Moldavian stamp of the same year, but of the value of 27 paras black on red.

A collection of 300 Kashmir stamps, 1866 to 1878, fetched 22,000 francs, and four red and blue British India four-anna stamps, dated 1854, reached 27,000 francs.

IRAQ FRONTIER COMMISSION IN LONDON.

Reuter's Agency states that the Commission appointed by the Council of the League of Nations to delimit the frontier between Irak and Turkey arrived in London last night.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

RONSARD POSTAGE STAMPS.—France has issued a postage stamp with the head of Ronsard, to celebrate the fourth centenary of the birth of the "Prince of Poets."

BOWLS FOR CONVICTS.—The British Home Office is making a grant for the provision of a bowling green in Maidstone Prison for the use of convicts of the "star" class.

READING COLLEGE.—Another effort is to be made to obtain for the University College, Reading (Berks.) a Royal charter as University of Reading.

COMFORT FOR "CASUALS."—At Nuneaton the tramp ward of the workhouse is being fitted with spring beds and a wireless "loud speaker."

TAX FOR FOOTBALL.—The miners of Penrhiwceiber Collieries (Glamorgan) have decided to make a levy of 6d. on every man, and 3d. on boys, in aid of the local association football team.

PAPER DUTIES IN SOUTH AFRICA.—According to a cable received by the Canadian Department of Trade and Commerce, the dumping duty on Canadian paper entering South Africa has been repealed.

WHERE BREAD IS THROWN AWAY.—The waste of bread is so great in Cardiff that the sanitary inspector has complained that frequently whole loaves are found in dustbins and in the streets.

A TRAGIC CELEBRATION.—Mrs. Ellen Goodchild, of Corfe Castle, Dorset, who reached her hundredth birthday on Saturday, died during the celebrations, after receiving many congratulations.

A GUEST OF BRITAIN.—"This alien has been here for 18 years and is not ashamed to own that he can neither read nor write—no doubt he votes though."—Judge Cluer, in Shoreditch County Court.

BUTCHERS' STRIKE IN MADRID.—The Mayor of Madrid, with the approval of the Governor, is taking energetic measures to cope with the strike of butchers, which has resulted in the Spanish capital being almost completely deprived of meat for the past three days.

CONTRACTS WORTH £8,000,000.—Four Russian delegates have spent a week in England obtaining tenders for a twelve-mile tube, 300 omnibuses, 200 taxi-cabs and 200 lorries, the total value of the contracts being about £8,000,000. They have left for Paris and Berlin to seek competitive tenders.

CLYDEBANK STRIKE COLLAPSING.—Clydebank Town Council have decided to urge the tenants to pay rents, and the factors on their side have agreed to the setting up of the tribunal for cases of hardship and others where no agreement can be reached between the factor and tenants.

NO GERMAN SAILORS.—The Amalgamated Marine Workers' Union have protested against the proposal to permit German seamen the right of employment on British ships. The removal of the embargo would, the Union says, lead to a large influx of German seamen attracted by the higher wages prevailing in British-owned vessels.

LANDLORDS' PATIENCE.—"Private landlords give much more credit than the butcher or the grocer, and yet they are more abused," said Judge Crawford at Edmonton County Court. A tenant was £2 in arrears with rent, and the Council applied for possession of the house. "Defendant would have been better off under a private landlord," said the judge.

ST. LAWRENCE WATER POWER SCHEME.—At a meeting in Toronto of the Associated Boards of Trade of Canada it was resolved to urge all Boards of Trade in Ontario to "give the weight of their educative influence towards securing united public opinion in favour of the immediate development of the St. Lawrence water power scheme."

THEFT AT SOMERSET HOUSE.—Two officials from the Bank of England go to the cashier's office at Somerset House every day to collect money and pay it into the Bank of England. On Saturday one man called at the cashier's office, said he was from the Bank of England, and was given the money to count out. He took £1,000 in Treasury notes with him, and has not been traced.

REFEREE INJURED.—During the progress of the game at Newcastle on Saturday, between Newcastle and Birmingham, Mr. J. T. Howcroft, the well-known association referee, received a blow on the back of the head from the ball. He went down heavily and lay motionless. After medical treatment he resumed control of the game, but in five minutes became giddy and had to abandon the match to a substitute.

BOYS' CRUEL PLAY.—Two boys of Rhosymedre, North Wales, tied together the tails of two milking cows and turned the animals into a meadow. The cows struggled in the night to get free, and finally one of the tails broke off. It was produced in the Police Court, when the boys were charged with cruelty. "We did it for sheer devilment," one of them stated. They were cautioned and bound over.

MR. SNOWDEN AND THE LABOUR PARTY.—Mr. Philip Snowden, M.P., in opening the London Labour Fair at Westminster on Saturday, said that the progress of the Labour movement in Great Britain in this generation constituted the greatest romance in the political history in this or any other country. He thought if they suffered from one thing more than another at the last election it was that they did not sufficiently carry their propaganda into the homes of the people. They increased their vote in nearly every case where they were not successful.

Sixteen new mild small-pox cases have been reported at Mansfield, Notts.

Deptford Council have sanctioned private advertisements on lamp-posts.

For a big Liverpool housing scheme bricklayers are being taken on in Ireland.

As there are only five scholars, Patney, Wiltshire, village school is to be closed.

Samuel Peake, of Thirlmere street, Leigh, Lancashire, and his son, Richard, were buried together last Saturday.

Mr. Leonard Courtney, for many years secretary of the Commercial Travellers' Benevolent Institution, has died.

When off Sunderland the motor-drifter Roly, of Fraserburgh, caught fire and sank, her crew being landed at Sunderland.

Lady Wilson, widow of Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson, who recently underwent an operation, is making satisfactory progress.

It is reported that the Rhine newspaper *Echo du Rhin* will cease to appear as from December 1.

Colchester cattle market reopened last Saturday after being closed a month through foot-and-mouth disease.

Mr. Charles Benning, Town Clerk of Dunstable for thirty-two years, died yesterday aged seventy.

A man over seventy handed in nearly £200 in gold at Nottingham Post Office. He said that the recent burglaries had frightened him.

The best bird at Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, cage bird show, a frizzled crested canary shown by Mr. Norwood, Sutton, was valued at £200.

"My experience is that husbands are not what they used to be when I married my first one."—Woman at Marlborough Court, London, last Saturday.

Speaking at Crewe yesterday, Mr. J. Marchbank, President of the National Union of Railwaymen, emphasised that the divided counsels hitherto responsible for the weakness of the men's position must give place to the interests of railway employés in mass in the forthcoming negotiations with the railway companies, preparations for which were now almost complete.

THE REV. NICHOLAS POWER.

The death of the Rev. Nicholas Power, P.P. of Fethard, Co. Tipperary, took place on Friday, at St. Vincent's Nursing Home, Dublin.

THE REV. JOHN WELLESLEY BROWNE.

The death took place yesterday of the Rev. John Wellesley Browne, after a brief illness, at his brother's residence, Victoria road, Rathgar, Co. Dublin. He was the eldest son of the late Mr. T. W. Browne, of Ballinapark, County Wexford, and was in his 79th year. He was ordained in 1870 for the Diocese of Tuam, and was curate of Raboon from 1870 to 1875. He was curate of St. Lawrence's, Limerick, from 1886 to 1891. He served as chaplain at Versailles from 1895 to 1909.

PROTECTION OF SHANNON FISHERIES

A deputation from the Limerick Board of Fishery Conservators waited on the local County Council on Saturday last, and called attention to a resolution passed by the conservators at a recent meeting, asking the Council and other bodies within the Shannon Fisheries district to help in the protection of the fishing industry by striking a vote for protection purposes. The Council, with the approval of the Ministry for Local Government, decided to levy a rate of a half-penny in the pound for the protection of the Shannon and its tributaries.

BELFAST AIR MAIL.

NEW COMPANY FORMED WITH £50,000 CAPITAL.

THREE AEROPLANES BOUGHT.

A company is being formed, with the title "Northern Air Lines, Ltd.," to maintain a mail and passenger service of aeroplanes between Belfast and England. It will have a capital of £50,000, of which £10,000 in ordinary shares is paid up.

Two aeroplanes have been purchased and are now at Aldergrove. They are DH9's, and have a carrying capacity of 700lbs., in addition to the pilot, while a DH50 is about to be delivered. It was on a machine of this type that Mr. Alan Cobham won the world's reliability trial in 1923, when he flew 12,000 miles absolutely to schedule time. This machine is capable of carrying 1,000lbs. nett.

With these aeroplanes it is intended to carry on a service between Northern Ireland and England all the year round, but the terminal point across the Channel will vary. For eight months in the year the aeroplane will fly between Belfast and Carlisle, carrying mails and passengers each day, but for the four winter months the outgoing mails will be carried to Stranraer, as at present, by train and steamer.

During these months the incoming mail will be transferred on arrival at Stranraer each morning to a waiting aeroplane and brought to Belfast with a minimum of delay.

Details of the scheme were recently considered by the Belfast Chamber of Commerce.

One result of this service will be that Southgoing mail trains will be caught at Carlisle, enabling letters posted in Belfast in the evening to be delivered in London by the first post in the morning, while the London letters will reach Belfast also in time for inclusion in the first delivery.

There are corresponding advantages in the case of letters to Manchester, Leeds and other English cities.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

A PROBLEM OF DOMICILE.

(Before Mr. Cooper.)

A case of some legal interest was heard on Saturday when the Cavan County Council appealed against an order made by the court on July 22, under the Children's Act, committing certain minors to an industrial school, and making the Council liable for their maintenance. The children were found abandoned in Dublin, and the Cavan Council contended that their maintenance should be chargeable to the County Borough of Dublin, despite the fact that for nine months the family had resided in Abbey street, Cavan.

Mr. Martin Maguire appeared for the appellants, and Mr. T. F. Burke represented the Dublin Corporation.

In the course of evidence it was stated that Edmund, Gerrard, Minnie, and Angeline McInerney, whose ages ranged from thirteen to one and a half years, children of Margaret and Edward McInerney, were found destitute in Dublin. The father was in prison on a charge of neglect, and the mother was a patient in the Dublin Union, where subsequently she died. It was ascertained that the family had come from Cavan, and the children's aunt still lived there. A grown-up son of the same family was proved actually to have gone back to the town after the migration to Dublin, and, in addition, the funeral of Mrs. McInerney took place there. On this evidence Mr. Burke urged that the children's residence was in Cavan, and that the fact that they were found in Dublin was immaterial to the question of liability for maintenance.

Mr. Maguire said that the family originally came from County Fermanagh, and resided temporarily in Cavan, from which they departed in April, 1923. There was no evidence, he submitted, on which they could decide that these children were resident in Cavan. If the Justice decided that the Cavan Council was liable for their maintenance he would ask him to state a case.

Mr. Burke said that he admitted that the children were found in Dublin, but, for the purposes of the Act, residing in a place and being found in a place were two different things.

Mr. Cooper said that there was no evidence to show him that the children ever intended to return to Cavan.

Mr. Burke—There is no evidence of a change of domicile.

Mr. Cooper said that he thought that this was a matter of considerable public importance, because of the principle underlying it, and he thought that it would be well to have a decision by the High Court on the legal point involved. Personally he was in agreement with Mr. Maguire.

While expressing the opinion that it would be better to have a decision by the High Court, the Justice eventually decided to make an order transferring the liability for the maintenance of the children from the Cavan Council to the Dublin County Borough, which would also repay any expenditure already made on behalf of the children.

A NOCTURNAL PRANK.

Joseph Edelstein, of 23 Little Ship street, pleaded guilty to extinguishing five street lights in Stephen's Green on Friday night. The defendant said that he was going to the Shelbourne Hotel on an important errand.

Mr. Cooper—What has that to do with putting the lights out?

Defendant—The lights were too bright and they dazzled my eyes.

Mr. Cooper—But the ordinary members of the public were not suffering from any shock?

Defendant—Well, I am guilty of having done it. I was suffering from the effects of some methylated spirits.

Mr. Cooper imposed a fine of 10s., or seven days' imprisonment.

UNITED COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES.

The seventh session of the United Council of Christian Churches and Religious Communions in Ireland met in the boardroom, Representative Church Body, Dublin. Reports from Local Councils were received on behalf of the Dublin Citizenship Council. Dean Kennedy reported successful meetings in furtherance of the "Copec" movement. An important meeting was held in the Mansion House, Dublin in support of the housing schemes promoted by the Rev. D. H. Hall. The Dublin Council supported the Government Temperance Bill, and joined in a deputation to the Ministry for Home Affairs to seek amendments in the criminal law for the better protection of women and children. The formation was announced of the Belfast and District Citizenship Council, which had given its aid to a successful meeting on the League of Nations. The formation of Local Councils is under consideration in Cork, Londonderry and Limerick. It was resolved that the United Council should heartily support the principles of the League of Nations, and cordially invite the members of the churches represented in the Council to support either the League of Nations Union or the Irish League of Nations Society.

The Council decided to ask its constituent churches and communions to recommend to all their ministers to make themselves acquainted with the provisions of the Illegitimate Children (Affiliation Orders) Act. The Citizenship Councils in Belfast and Dublin were asked to take steps to secure legislation against the betting and gambling evils.

The next meeting of the United Council was fixed for Thursday, February 13, at 3.30 o'clock, in the Church House, Belfast.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND COLLECTIONS.

	£	s.	d.
Ballynure	2	6	6
Baltinglass, St. Mary's	1	17	6
Bray, St. James's	19	10	10
Celbridge, Christ Church	15	15	9
Donaghpatrick	29	13	3
Dunganstown and Redcross	6	0	2
Dunlavin	30	1	9
Greystones Parish	21	8	4
Howth	26	10	0
Kentstown	2	2	0
Killeagh	3	9	7
Kilmessan	4	0	0
Kilshire	7	8	6
Loughend	9	14	10
Mountrath	9	10	0
Rathfarnham Parish	53	12	7
Shrule	1	1	4
Skerries, Holmpatrick	12	0	0
Christ Church, Leeson Park	100	11	11
St. Columba's, Ranelagh	8	3	0

SHOT IN BARRACKS.

INQUEST ON SOLDIER AT KILKENNY.

An inquest was held at Kilkenny last Saturday on James Hickson, stated to be a deserter from the Free State Army, who was fatally wounded at Kilkenny Barracks the previous day while being detained pending a court-martial.

Private Sutton said that he and Private Sullivan were in the detention room with Hickson, who assisted them to clean their rifles. He had his back to Sullivan and Hickson when he heard a shot, and turning round saw the latter fall on the floor, bleeding from a wound on the wrist. So far as he knew, there had been no difference of opinion between the two men.

Sergeant Cassidy said that, hearing the report, he ran into the detention room and asked who fired the shot, and Sullivan said that he did. Sullivan had received no authority from witness to clean his rifle.

Private Sullivan, when cautioned by the Coroner, decided not to give evidence.

The jury found that Hickson died from shock and hemorrhage as the result of a bullet wound, and added that they had not sufficient evidence to show who fired the shot.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

INFORMATIONS REFUSED IN LEITRIM CASE.

Informations were refused at Carrick-on-Shannon District Court on Saturday in the case in which Patrick Gaffney, of Aghabehy, Drumshambo, was charged with having robbed Mr. Joseph Ennis, manager of the local branch of the Northern Bank, of £4,201.

Mr. Ennis was on his way to Leitrim cattle fair when his motor car was stopped by armed men, who stole the money. In cross-examination, Mr. Ennis said: "I could not absolutely say that the accused was the man who held me up."

When Gaffney was discharged by the District Justice he was taken into custody by the Civic Guard. So far no charge has been preferred against him.

REMEMBRANCE.

SERMON BY THE REV. G. B. CRONSHAW, M.A.

The preacher before the University of Dublin in Trinity College Chapel yesterday was the Rev. G. B. Cronshaw, M.A., Fellow and Bursar of Queen's College, Oxford. In the afternoon he preached before a large congregation in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

At the afternoon Service he took as his texts—"I have considered the days of old and the years that are past" (Psalm 77, verse 5); "Remember" (St. Luke, chapter 16, verse 25); "If a man live many years let him rejoice in them all and remember the days of darkness" (Ecclesiastes, chapter 11, verse 8). The past, he said, was not a popular theme with any class of society; it was considered a place fit for those who had no future or as a haven of refuge for the disappointed, for the aged or the solitary. If people had to dream they preferred to dream about the future, which was still theirs to make or mar. Did not St. Paul bid them forget those things which were behind and "press toward the mark for the prize of our high calling"? That was the language of youth, of health, of confidence.

"But this Sunday, the last Sunday in the ecclesiastical year, can we dare to put our past away from us, to forget it, to treat it as if it had never been? I think not. In the past are portions of the threads with which our destiny here and hereafter is spun; we cannot break them: we must not try. Even Bergson commits himself to this doctrine, that without the past conscience would be non-existent."

Continuing, the preacher said that the loss of those early tender memories was irreparable. The older people grew the more they realised the tragedy of time's "effacing fingers." But it was greatly their fault if they did forget. The recollection of the past was valuable for the future, and it was, perhaps, the only way in which they could really gauge the future.

"Remember the days of old. Link up each day to the next by a natural lowly piety, by a holy living, by a more fervent and believing forgetfulness. Live more vividly, more strongly, with Christ the friend to save your whole life. So alone shall we grow continuously and naturally until that day when God shall call us to carry all our talents and energies, such as they are, to that greater glory in a place of far higher development and usefulness than here.

RECENT WILLS.

Sir William Ernest Cain, Bart., of Wargrave Manor, Wargrave, Berks, for some years Chairman of Messrs. Robert Cain and Sons, Ltd., brewers, of Liverpool, now amalgamated with Messrs. Peter Walker (Warrington), Ltd., of which he became joint managing director, a generous donor to war charities, who died on May 5 last, aged 59 years, left estate of the gross value of £1,079,780, with net personalty £866,198. The testator left a sum sufficient when invested on a 5½ per cent. basis to augment the income of the living of Wargrave by £250 a year, but if and when the Church of England is disendowed, this sum is to be applied for the augmentation of the income of the Almshouses at Wargrave. He stated that he made no further bequests for charitable purposes as throughout his lifetime he had consistently given to charity, "all that my estate could reasonably afford."

Mr. Richard Alexander Hewat, of 17 Upper Brighton road, Surbiton, Surrey, formerly of Aledaide road, Surbiton, who died on September 8 last, aged 83 years, left estate of the gross value of £194,237, with net personalty £186,275 8s. 1d. The testator left £250 to the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children; £250 to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; £250 to the Royal National Lifeboat Institutions; £250 to the Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution; £250 to the Railway Benevolent Institution; £250 to the British Orphan Asylum, Slough; £250 to the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond street, W.C.; £250 to the Surbiton Cottage Hospital.

Mr. George Henry Jackson, of Hillside, Waldron, Sussex, surgeon, formerly of Scarborough, Yorkshire, and Lansdown House, Tottenham, N., who died on September 17 last, aged 77 years, has left £8,823, of which £5,586 is net personalty. The testator directed that his horses should be humanely destroyed and his dogs and cats destroyed by being placed in the lethal chamber before his funeral takes place. It was also his wish that his funeral should be in the simplest manner, "free from trappings of woe," and his body put into the grave in solemn silence.

Mr Henry William Massingham, of 21 Bedford square, W.C., formerly on the staff of the *Eastern Daily Press*, later editor of the National Press Agency and subsequently editor successively of the *Star*, the *Daily Chronicle*, the *Daily News*, and *The Nation*, who died at Tintagel, Cornwall, on August 27 last, aged 64 years, a native of Norwich, left estate of the gross value of £9,664, with net personalty £8,464. He died intestate.

AMERICAN LINERS AND CHERBOURG.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

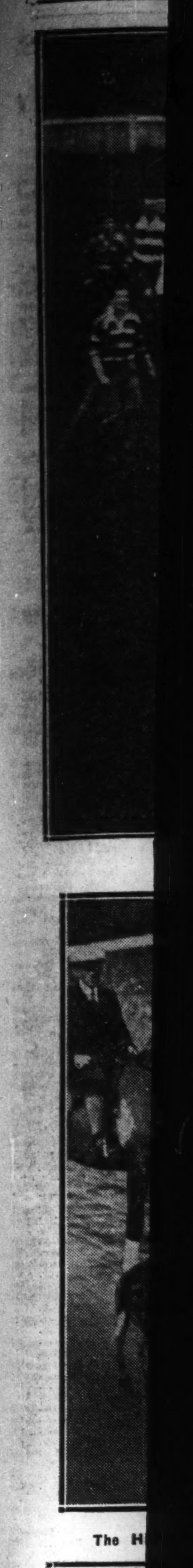
PARIS, Sunday.

Negotiations continue at Cherbourg between the Chamber of Commerce and representatives of the American Shipping Board and the United States Lines for the extension of the port to allow the berthing of the Leviathan and other liners, which at present land passengers by tender. The passenger traffic manager of the United States Lines stated that the American interests represented would be willing to spend $25,000,000 to obtain the necessary accommodation.

BIRTH CONTROL.

Cardinal Bourne, at the annual meeting of the Catholic Confederation of England and Wales in London on Saturday, said that the Law Lords' decision, overturning the award of £100 damages awarded Dr. Marie Stopes for alleged libel on her in a book by Dr. Halliday Gibson Sutherland, was a great victory for the cause of morality.

"It is our belief," he said, "the belief of all Catholics, and, I would even hold, the belief of all Christians that the practice which Dr. Sutherland denounced are contrary to the God-given moral law."



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KINGSTOWN

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BEAUTIFIE[D] ... FURN... MANUFACTURED ...

An Attacking Movement by Wanderers in the match against Belfast Collegians.

The Hillside Harriers at Rathfarnham. The Master, Mr. Blackshaw, in the centre.

Two Followers of the Hillside Harriers—Miss Maude and Miss Myers.

The winners, H. E. Bell and W. Holley (Castle G.C.).

Amateur-cum-Professional Golf Foursomes at Woodbrook. Some of the competitors.

SUPPOSED ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

KINGSTOWN PUBLICAN SHOT.

Mr. John Giblin, a Kingstown publican, was shot at and wounded on Saturday night. It is believed that the motive of the crime was robbery.

Mr. Giblin had closed his publichouse at 41 Lower George's street, Kingstown, and was walking to his house at 25 Corrig avenue with the proceeds of his day's trading in his pocket when he was attacked. He was passing a lane beside No. 9 Corrig avenue when a man, wearing a cap and a trench coat, ran out and shouted "Hands up!" Mr. Giblin walked on. The man fired at him with a revolver and shot him in the left thigh. The sound of the revolver shot brought the Rev. Mr. Devlin, at No. 7, and Mr. Joseph Irwin, at 35 Corrig avenue, to their doors. When they appeared the gunman ran up the lane into Northumberland avenue. The Rev. Mr. Devlin and Mr. Irwin went to Mr. Giblin's assistance, carried him into his house, and sent for Dr. Merrin, jun. The bullet is said to have passed through Mr. Giblin's thigh. He is making satisfactory progress. No arrest has been made.

EIGHTY REVOLVERS STOLEN.

A gunsmith's shop at Lyons was broken into on Saturday night, and eighty revolvers are missing. The thieves paid no attention to a number of valuable hunting guns and silver-mounted articles.

BEAUTIFIES AND PRESERVES
Science
FURNITURE POLISH.
MANUFACTURED BY PUNCH & CO., CORK.

The War Memorial Unveiled yesterday at the Abbey Presbyterian Church, Dublin.

IRISH TRADE MARK.

FOUND ON GOODS FROM FRANCE.

At a meeting of the Council of the Dublin Industrial Development Association, the Secretary reported that a consignment of laundry blue addressed to a Dublin branch of a cross-Channel firm had been landed in Dublin by the direct boat from France. An outer label declared the blue to be of French manufacture, but each packet bore the Irish trade mark. Immediate action was taken to prevent the delivery of the consignment.

It was reported that steps were being taken to explore the possibility of closer relations with the kindred body, the Irish Industrial Development Association.

CORK METHODIST HALL BURNT.

The Central Hall, Academy street, Cork, a building used in connection with the Methodist Church in the city, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning.

The outbreak was discovered about eight o'clock, and despite the efforts of the Fire Brigade, who were assisted by military and Civic Guards, the building was completely burned out. The loss is serious, but is stated to be covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is supposed to be the fusing of electric wires.

Look for the the name Royal "Ediswan" on all electric lamps you buy. There is none better. Advt.

REDUCED TO BEGGING.

EDUCATED IRISHWOMAN'S PITIFUL PLIGHT.

A middle-aged Irishwoman named Mary Josephine Brennan was charged at Westminster, London, on Saturday with begging.

A police constable stated that when arrested for asking ladies for coppers all she had in her possession was a penny, her vellum Bachelor of Arts certificate, and high references as to her educational attainments.

A woman Court missioner said the defendant came to England about two years ago and spent her savings.

Mr. Francis said he was extremely sorry to see a person of her education come down as she had. He discharged her with a warning.

IRISH INVASION OF BRITAIN.

NEW THEORY OF THE END OF URICONIUM.

Professor Sir William Ridgway read, before the Cambridge Philological Society, a paper on the date of coins found at Traprain Law, near Edinburgh, and the destruction of Uriconium.

In 1919 a remarkable treasure of Roman silver plate was discovered by the Scottish antiquaries at Traprain Law. Besides various flagons, wine-cups and ornaments, there were coins of Valens, Valentinian II. and Honorius (395-423). Sir William connected this discovery with the Roman treasure found at Ballinreis, near Coleraine, in 1854, in which 1,506 Roman coins ranged from Constantius II. to Honorius.

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"Who brought the booty in each case? When and whence was it taken?" In 367 there was an irruption of barbarians into Britain, made up of Picts, Scots and Attacotti. After the death of Theodosius I. in 395, there was a further irruption by the same races, together with Franks and Saxons. The new Emperor, Honorius, drove back the victorious barbarians. It is, however, on record that the most formidable onslaught had come from Ireland under one powerful leader, who received the adhesion of Picts and Saxons. This mysterious Irish leader is identified by Sir William as Niall of the Nine Hostages, who was Ard Ri in Ireland from 379 to 405.

"Hence," says Sir William, "There is a high probability that the Ballinreis hoard, with its coins of Honorius, belonged to one of Niall's followers, and that at Traprain Law to some Pict or Saxon who had taken part in the plundering of the coasts of Gaul."

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Niall waged war in Britain and also in Gaul. The site of the ancient Uriconium at Wroxeter has yielded large numbers of Roman coins, none later than Honorius. "In view of the activity of Niall, with his Scots and Attacotti from across the Irish Sea, in conjunction with the Picts and Saxons, we may ascribe with some probability the ruin of the Roman town by the Severn to Niall's great movement in 395-6, and to the same invader the ruin of other towns on that side of England."

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS SOCIETY.

At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Dublin Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals thirteen cases were reported by the inspectors during the week and twelve convictions. The following subscriptions were received:—Mr. C. Burke, 2/6; Mrs. Fred Gill, 7/6; Lady Goulding, £1; Mrs. T. K. Laidlaw £2; Miss Goodbody, 2/6; Miss Monaghan, 10/-; Mrs. Grenville Cole, 5/-; Dr. Trevor Smith, 5/-; Mrs. Porter Taylor, 5/-; Mrs. O. M. Babington, 10/-; Dr. Selon Fringle, £1; Mrs. H. Fabie, £1; Mrs. Yule (collection), £1 2/-; Mrs. Orr, 5/-; Dr. Bethel Solomons, £1; Arnold Bequest Fund, £1; Miss A. Hill, 2/6.

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The annual Charity Sermon on behalf of St. Brigid's Orphanage, 46 Eccles street, Dublin, which is under the care of the Sisters of the Holy Faith, was preached yesterday in the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Dublin, by the Rev. Henry Foley, S.J. The orphanage was established about seventy years ago, and some 6,000 children have been tended within its walls. At present 350 children are being educated there.

The preacher referred to the main events in the life of Miss Aylward, the daughter of a Waterford merchant, who came to Dublin in the early fifties of the last century and subsequently founded the orphanage, as a means of grappling with certain evils she found active in the city. She was ably assisted in her enterprise by Cardinal Cullen, and at one time the reigning Pope sent her a special mark of his esteem.

The work had been carried on splendidly, and the nuns now appealed to the public to help them to meet the financial burdens which such an institution as theirs must bear.

The inventions of the chemist have made it so certain that no civilised nation can expect to survive another war that no Government dare make war.—Mr. G. Sayle.

AUSTRALIAN STRIKE.

VIOLENT OUTBREAK AT DOCKS.

A serious disturbance broke out at Sydney yesterday as a result of the maritime strike. Two hundred men belonging to the Waterside Workers' Federation, who were urged on by women to "kill those scabs," attacked a party of fifteen men from the ex-Soldiers' Bureau. The police separated the combatants, and three arrests were made.

Later a clash appeared imminent between men from the bureau and some members of the crew of a ship in port, but the police succeeded in preventing an outbreak.

The Federation of Waterside Men has decided to raise the ban on overtime on Commonwealth Line steamers. The dispute in regard to rates of pay, which has tied up the British cargo steamer Volumnia since October 28, was settled yesterday. It is stated that the owners have agreed to pay the crew Australian rates of pay. The Volumnia was chartered in October by the Commonwealth Line, and the crew thereupon demanded Australian pay.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

FINALE AT MANCHESTER.

CLOUDBANK WINS NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

HOLLOW VICTORY OF SOLDENNIS.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Sunday Night.

When Soldennis won the Final Plate yesterday in the gloom of a Manchester afternoon the racing season of 1924 under Jockey Club rules had come to an end, and for four months the National Hunt meetings will have the fields to themselves. The hollow victory of the great Irish sprinter in a race over a mile and a quarter may not have been the most important event of the afternoon, but it certainly was not the least interesting, and it was a fitting close to a career of unusual distinction extending over four seasons. This was actually the twenty-fourth victory of Soldennis, for he has won twenty-one races in Ireland, two in Scotland, and now this one, his first, in England. Thus he retires from the Turf to the ... Stud in a blaze of glory. It is a great pity that Soldennis never quite came into his own in England, where something or other generally happened to rob him of victory. I shall always think he was unlucky in the Salford Borough Handicap to have been beaten a short head by The Haberdasher, to whom he was giving 30lb. On Friday The Haberdasher with 8st. 1lb. was only beaten a neck and a head by Perhaps So and Zanoni in the Flying Handicap, which suggests that Soldennis could have won it with upwards of 10st. Then he was unfortunate too, to have fallen up against that phenomenal filly Tiny Step in the Portland Plate at Doncaster.

There were many Irishmen at Manchester yesterday, who made a pilgrimage in the rain to the bottom end of the paddock to watch Jeffrey paddling for the last time on a racecourse the most popular horse in Ireland, and it was a great tribute to the way in which his trainer has kept him up to form that after a severe race in the Irish Cambridgeshire on Wednesday and a roughish Channel crossing the horse should have gone to the post so full of himself that he was almost jumping out of his skin. The Ring apparently doubted his ability to stay the course, for they laid 6 to 4, 5 to 4, and finally 11 to 10 against him. Burns waited with him, and after they had gone half a mile he was some half-dozen lengths behind. Then in the straight he made up ground so quickly that two furlongs from home the jockey was looking round to see where the others were. They were not in the picture, and Soldennis won, pulling up, by six lengths from On the Somme.

The Manchester November Handicap was won in hollow style by Mr. James White's French-bred horse Cloudbank, who beat the screaming favourite Daimyo by three lengths, and enabled Beary to ride the winner of the last big handicap of the season. It was the finish to a season in which French-bred horses have gained a remarkable series of triumphs, beginning with that of Sir Gallahad in the Lincoln Handicap in the first week of the season and going on, through Massine in the Ascot Gold Cup, to this victory of Cloudbank on the last day. It is clear now that the assertion of the boy Burns, who rode Cloudbank in the Derby Cup—that he would have won had he not been struck into—was not far wide of the mark.

CLOUDBANK'S VICTORY.

The race was run in a mist, for a heavy rain fell during the afternoon to mar what had otherwise been a most excellent meeting. Not much of the running could be seen after the first quarter of a mile until they came out of the mist again in the straight. Then Cloudbank had a clear lead of Daimyo, and won without ever being pressed. I believe that he took up the running from Jazz Band on turning into the straight, and was never seriously troubled again. Daimyo was actually backed down to 5 to 4 at the close, but, though he beat all the others, he never had a chance against the winner, who was always going too strongly for him. A length behind Cloudbank False Alarm just ran Vaudricourt out of a place, while D'Orsay was fifth.

There were many people present who were anxious to see a victory for Donoghue on Labadens, but it was not to be. The colt was slowly into his stride, and at the turn, when his jockey thought he had a chance, it was extinguished by Celebrate coming across him. Donoghue, who finishes the season with third place in the list of winning jockeys, has to go into a nursing home this week in order to have a slight operation performed on his nose. This is an old affliction which troubled him a year or two ago, and it is possible that it may interfere with his projected trip to India to ride there during the winter.

The Captivation gelding, Darragh, whom Sir Thomas Dixon weeded out for a small sum last December, won the opening event of the afternoon, the Farewell Handicap, and started at 20 to 1, too. He had been well beaten here on Thursday, but his owner would not accept the running as true, and supported him well again at starting price. He drew out half-way up the straight, and won in a canter from Houdale, another of the irritating sequences of seconds that Robert Sherwood has trained this week. The Irish Oaks winner, Amethystine, failed to stay home here, and Bachelor's Fort, who was well backed, was never prominent.

PRECIOUS WINS IN A CANTER.

To discerning people Precious, who not long ago was very high in all sprint handicaps, seemed something good to bet on in a selling race, yet in the market over the Beresford Stakes the Ring once offered 4 to 1 about him, an offer that was finally curtailed to 13 to 8. Precious is not too generous nowadays, but he was good enough to win this race in a canter by four lengths from Umtyiddy. When this good-looking Tetrarch horse was offered after the race Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen bought him in for 720 guineas, but he comes up at the Newmarket December sales next week, and if the right buyer appears to be about he should fetch a good deal more than this to go abroad as a stallion.

Neither of the other two races was very interesting. The Last Selling Handicap was won by the 25 to 1 chance, Yarnton, who survived an objection, and was returned unsold. Speedy Prince, a winner at the Curragh last September, performed indifferently in the Worsley Nursery Plate, which was won by the plater, Horace Groom. This colt, who is named after the well-known coursing official, was bred by those other coursing enthusiasts, the Messrs. Brice, and early in the season was owned in partnership by Mr. S. W. Beer and Jack Jarvis. After beating Mr. Tinkle in a selling race at Ayr, he was sold to a patron of Elsey's stable. I believe that he had all the advantage of the start here, and that he made all the running. Anyhow, he beat the favourite, Deslioni colt, in a canter by a length.

LODDINGTON'S SURPRISE AT LINGFIELD.

My information about the Lingfield meeting is necessarily secondhand, but it was surprising to find Loddington, on whom odds of 5 to 2 were laid, beaten a head by Vicot, to whom he was giving only 3lb., in the County T.-Y.O. Plate. Loddington had run a good third to Diomedes and Prompt at Hurst Park, and had finished in front of Zionist; so unless the two-year-old form of the year is much below what we thought it was there must be some excuse for his defeat.

Vicot was one of the winners of the three last races trained by William Nightingall, who has had a most successful season. He had just previously won the Finale Handicap with that remarkable horse, Harrovian, whom he bought last December for 70 guineas, and who, after winning over hurdles in the winter, has this year secured seven races outright, and dead-heated for first place in another. On Saturday he started at 7 to 1, and beat Boddam by a neck. The failure of this race was Bellman, on whom odds of 11 to 10 were laid, and who just missed a place. Nightingall's third winner was Scotch Pearl, in the Open Club Welter Stakes.

There was an ironic touch about this race, for it was supposed to be for amateur riders, but Scotch Pearl was actually ridden by Major Doyle, who, not long ago, took out a professional jockey's licence. The joke was that in the published conditions it was stated that runners were to be ridden by members of the Lingfield Park Club, and the usual stipulation which is added to such races as to past and present riders at the Grand Military Meeting "who have not ridden for hire" was not inserted here. There was nothing, therefore, to prevent Major Doyle, who is a member of the Lingfield Park Club, from riding in the race, but it all served to make the whole procedure, by which Major Doyle was debarred last spring from riding as an amateur, look a little silly.

The proceedings at Lingfield were notable for the success of Irish-bred animals. Thus Vicot and Scotch Pearl are by the Limerick stallions, Sonning and Lomond, expatriated to the Argentine respectively. The first race was won by Major D. Dixon's Orpiment two-year-old, Orenza, and the next by the Junior filly, Glenshesk, who was a prominent performer in Ireland, but who was gaining her first success in this country in this selling race. Silver Sword, a Tetrarch filly, brought off a 10 to 1 chance for Major McCalmont in the November Nursery.

There will be a better opportunity later of discussing the statistical records and the salient features of the season that has just closed, but it may be said that it has been a remarkable year for the Aga Khan, who is at the head of the list of winning owners, not only in England, but in France, where the victories of Niceas have given him almost as great a lift as have those of Diophon and Salmon Trout in the Two Thousand Guineas and St. Leger in this country. Donoghue is only third to C. Elliott and R. A. Jones in the list of winning jockeys. Beary has had a poor season, with only 52 winners out of 541 mounts, an average of 1 in 10. F. Bullock, who is seventh on the list of winning jockeys, has actually the best average, but is very little in front of Elliott and Archibald. The latter has been riding in splendid form during the season, and were his Irish successes calculated he would have the best average of any jockey.

THE BIRMINGHAM CARD.

There is promise of an excellent meeting to-morrow afternoon at Birmingham, which begins the season of the clear jumping fixtures. The 'chaser HELSDELITE, who won a race easily at Navan in September, has been sent to run for the Smethwick Selling Steeplechase, and may be good enough to beat old Golden Gleece and Glengarry. The Three-Year-Old Hurdle Race looks an open event, but I hear excellent accounts of FORTISSIMO, and choose him to win. If RED SPLASH is sent for the Coleshill Steeplechase he should win. In his absence I would take ARDEEN.

GALTEE MORE.

LINGFIELD RESULTS.

1.0—RODEO TWO-YEAR-OLD (S.) PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 10 sovs. 5 f.
Major D. Dixon's b. f. ORENZA, by Orpiment—Florenza, 9-0 ....H. Robertson 1
Mr. Gant's GAY CHRISTIAN, 9-0 J. M'Loughlin 2
Mr. Wootton's HAPPY LOUIE F., 8-6...J. Sirett 3
Also ran—Kasai (Fox), Hawtrey (Jelliss), Can Do (Duller), Belle Royal c. (Elliott), Run (c. by Bachelor's Craft) (J. Evans), Low Road (Archibald), Master Bold (A. Smyth), Tiny Bird (Winter), Miss Ajax f. (Ingham), La Pastorelle (H. Beasley), Burning Thoughts (T. Pryor). Off 1.1. (Winner trained by O. Bell.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. Run (c. by Bachelor's Craft), 6 to 1 Gay Christian, 7 to 1 each ORENZA and Happy Louie f., 8 to 1 Low Road, 100 to 6 any other.
Won by a length and a half; a neck.
The winner was sold to Mr. D. M. Gant for 300 guineas.

1.30—BACK END (S.) HANDICAP, £350. Second £10. 1 m.
Mr. T. P. Murray's b. f. GLENSHESK, by Junior—Fairy View, 4, 8-6...H. Robertson 1
Mrs. C. Stevens's GNIOCCHI, 4, 7-5.......Lynch 2
Mr. H. Hepworth's PILTDOWN, 3, 7-7...Walshe 3
Also ran—Fernley (J. Evans), Goldendale (H. Beasley), Beaver (Archibald), Irish Ways (J. Dines), Blican (Chipchase), Petty Cury (Jelliss), Thistabel (Sirett), Magic Ring (Bonham), Grenoble (T. Pryor), Silvanus (W. Moore), Kinsman (Lane), Skyflier (Fox), Royal Plumage (Ingham), Emulsion (R. Dick), Pommel (A. Harris), Somerford (Elliott), Shapfell (J. Patman), Regulator (Featherstone), Boult (Turtle), Lembirch (W. Morton), Polisson (Murch), Limenios (T. Barber), East Lincoln (J. McLoughlin), Black Mask (A. Berry), Rhodarene (W. Pick). Off 1.36. (Winner trained by O. Bell.)
Betting—7 to 2 agst. Thistabel, 7 to 1 each Fernley and Piltdown, 10 to 1 each Irish Ways, Kinsman and Royal Plumage, 100 to 8 each GLENSHESK and Black Mask, 100 to 6 each Gniocchi and Blican, 33 to 1 any other.
Won by a neck; a length. Skyflier was left at the post and took no part in the race.
The winner was sold to Mr. Rayson for 300 guineas.

2.0—NOVEMBER NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE, £200. For two-year-olds. 5 f.
Major McCalmont's gr. f. SILVER SWORD, by The Tetrarch—Swagger Cane, 7-8...J. Lynch 1
Mr. D. M. Gant's CHEEKILY, 6-12 J. McLoughlin 2
Sir S. Watt's AIR CHARIOT, 7-13......J. Dines 3
Also ran—Bright Rays f. (Elliott), Fits and Starts (Winter), Probus (Lister), Awning (H. Beasley), Chinkapin (T. Pryor), Haut et Bon (Fox), Gifted (Hollick), Look Up (Murch), Quella (G. Walsh), Valeda (D. Connor), Diogenes (Wells), Melmor (Boughton), Hermes (Lane), Mint d'Or (Fetherstone), Glittering (J. Patman), Little Comet c. (Carroll), Golden Legend f. (T. Barber), Done Up (R. Dick), Gypsy Queen f. (Bonham), Esperus (Sirett), Racla (J. Crossley), King of Thule (A. Berry). Off 2.9. (Winner trained by Persse.)
Betting—7 to 2 agst. Hermes, 4 to 1 Diogenes, 10 to 1 each SILVER SWORD, Probus, Gifted and Cheekily, 100 to 8 Air Chariot, 33 to 1 any other.
Won by a short head; half a length.

2.30—FINALE HANDICAP, 500 sovs. Second 60 sovs, third 30 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. W. Nightingall's b. g. HARROVIAN, by Nassovian—Lady Brendan, 4, 8-10 ....Lane 1
Mr. A. H. Tennant's BODDAM, 5, 7-12 .....Fox 2
Mr. J. E. Cottrell's THE OCK, 5, 6-12 H. Robertson 3
Also ran—Jort (J. Leach), Bellman (Elliott), Ceinturon (Archibald), Mongoose (Winter), East Tor (T. Pryor), Peter Pax (T. Barber), Kilvemnon (M'Loughlin), Lord Offaly (R. Dick), Great Adventure (J. Sirrett). Off 2.45. (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—11 to 10 on Bellman, 7 to 1 agst. HARROVIAN, 10 to 1 each Mongoose and Ceinturon, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by a neck; six lengths.

3.0—COUNTRY OPEN TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of £200. Second £20, third £10. 6 f.
Major A. Vigor's ch. c. VICOT, by Sonning—Orveen, 8-8 ....Lane 1
Mrs. C. B. Ismay's LODDINGTON, 8-11 Carslake 2
Mr. F. J. Alexander's CANTATA, 8-5 Archibald 3
Also ran—Empire (Jelliss), Jocanta (J. Evans), Stephanola (H. Beasley), Reggie (T. Pryor), White Company (Murch), Russian Collar (Lister), Magnus (Lynch), Dracos (J. Dines), Westone (Walsh), Camden (Fox), Kitty Mint (J. Patman), Mossdale filly (H. Black). Off 3.12. (Winner trained by W. Nightingall.)
Betting—5 to 2 on Loddington, 8 to 1 agst. Stephanola, 10 to 1 each VICOT and Empire, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a neck; a length.

3.30—OPEN CLUB WELTER STAKES, £2 each, with £150 added. 1½ m.
Mr. A. Howeson's ch. g. SCOTCH PEARL, by Lomond—White Pearl, 3, 11-2 Maj. E. Doyle 1
Mr. H. Challenor's BIBLOS, 4, 11-2 Lord Killeen 2
Mr. Sturdy's DESERT CHIEF, 4, 11-9 Mr. J. Misa 3
Also ran—Icarus (Mr. J. Mitchell), Mount Gamble (Owner), Colcannon (Mr. E. Dyer), Spear o' War (Mr. Kirk), Pommier (Mr. Rayson), Mercury III. (Mr. R. Pilcher). Off 3.34. (Winner trained by W. Nightingall.)
Betting—5 to 4 on SCOTCH PEARL, 5 to 1 agst. Desert Chief, 8 to 1 Biblos, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by a length; a head.

BALDOYLE RACES,

THURSDAY, 1st JANUARY, 1925.

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MANCHESTER RESULTS.

12.45—FAREWELL HANDICAP, a sweepstakes, ... each, with £300 added. 1 m.
Mr. T. Queen's ch. g. DARRAGH, by Captivation—Latharna, 4, 7-6 ....McLachlan, jun. 1
Capt. Homfrey's HOUDALE, 6, 8-10 Perryman 2
Mr. Wadsley's LI-KWANG, 5, 7-8 ......A. Burns 3
Also ran—Bachelor's Fort (Wadsworth), Saval (J. Taylor), Torlonia (T. Weston), Black Sheep (F. Bullock), Amethystine (J. Childs), My Bird (Beary), Keppiestone (Donoghue), Lemstar (Thwaites), Procis (Richards), Tilphossa (Smirke), Synorix (R. Jones), Low Tide (R. James), Bachelor's Point (Leach), Mon (W. Howard), Gay (A. Glasgow), Mountain Stag (Marshall). Off at 12.49. (Winner trained by Wyllie.)
Betting—5 to 1 agst. Amethystine, 6 to 1 each Torlonia and Houdale, 7 to 1 each Bachelors Fort, My Bird, and Bachelor's Point, 8 to 1 Black Sheep, 20 to 1 DARRAGH, or any other.
Won by three lengths; three-quarters of a length.

1.15—BERESFORD STAKES (S.), £5 each, with £200 added. 6 f.
Lady C. Owen's b. h. PRECIOUS, by The Tetrarch—Zoara, 6, 9-1 ....F. Bullock 1
Mr. G. Hardy's UMTYIDDY, 3, 7-1 ..Richards 2
Mr. Becerra's BRESLANE, 4, 8-12 ....Smirke *
Mr. Solomon's ALMOND WINE, 5, 8-12 R. Jones *
Also ran—Bachelor's Heir (Wadsworth), Gentleman (T. Burns), Amy Keen (Thwaites), Toxaway (Taylor), Bargate (Alford), Sonoma (J. Childs), Peeping Tom (T. Weston), Beautiful Kiss (Orme).
*Dead-heat for third place.
Off at 1.18. (Winner trained by O. Bell.)
Betting—13 to 8 agst. PRECIOUS, 5 to 1 Umtyiddy, 7 to 1 Peeping Tom, 8 to 1 each Bachelor's Heir, Bargate, and Almond Wine, 100 to 6 any other.
Won by four lengths; a length and a half.
The winner was bought in for 770 gns.

1.55—MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP, a sweepstakes £30 each, with £1,500 added. Second £150, third £100. 1½ m.
Mr. J. White's ch. c. CLOUDBANK by Nimbus—Berengere, 3, 7-9 (car. 7-10) ......M. Beary 1
Mr. W. M. G. Singer's b. c. DAIMYO, by Gay Crusader—Osaka, 3, 7-10...M'Lachlan, jun. 2
Mr. J. Hull's b. h. FALSE ALARM, by Rattlejack—White Lie, 6, 7-13 ....Perryman 3
Mr. A. Scott's Jazz Band, 5, 8-11 ....Thwaites 0
Mr. J. White's Norseman, 5, 8-11 ....V. Smyth 0
Mr. W. Casalet's Puttenden, 5, 8-11 ...J. Childs 0
Mrs. S. Whitburn's D'Orsay, 4, 8-7 ......R. Jones 0
Mrs. J. Watt's Carpathus, 5, 8-6 ......G. Hulme 0
Mrs. Collie's Little Marten, 5, 8-3 (car. 8-4) E. M. Quirke 0
H.H. the Maharaja of Rajpipla's Labadens, 3, 7-11 ....S. Donoghue 0
Mr. Macomber's Carryduff, 4, 7-10 ....Wragg 0
Mr. Weil's Irish Eagle, 6, 7-8 ....T. Weston 0
Mr. G. Barclay's Celebrate, 4, 7-7 ....Smirke 0
Sir C. Hyde's Dark Fox, 5, 7-3 ....Marland 0
Mr. Gordon's Shining Spear, 3, 7-1 .....A. Burns 0
Sir D. Broughton's Foliac, 3, 6-13 ....Alford 0
Mr. Green's Vaudricourt, 4, 6-12 ....H. Leach 0
Off at 2.0. (Winner trained by L. Ward.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Daimyo, 11 to 2 Labadens, 100 to 9 CLOUDBANK, 100 to 8 each D'Orsay, Vaudricourt and Irish Eagle, 20 to 1 each Carpathus and Jazz Band, 25 to 1 each Foliac and Norseman, 33 to 1 each Puttenden, Shining Spear, and False Alarm, 40 to 1 Little Marten, 50 to 1 any other. Place betting in proportion.
Dark Fox, Carpathus, and Little Marten dwelt at the start. D'Orsay was first away, but on settling down Foliac showed the way to Irish Eagle, Jazz Band, Daimyo, Cloudbank, D'Orsay, Carryduff, Vaudricourt, and Norseman, with Puttenden bringing up the rear. So they disappeared into the mist, and coming into view again about three furlongs from home Cloudbank was in the lead, followed by Daimyo, Irish Eagle, Jazz Band, D'Orsay, and False Alarm, and, making the remainder of the running, Mr. White's colt won easily by three lengths; a length separated second and third. Vaudricourt was fourth, D'Orsay fifth, Jazz Band sixth, Shining Spear seventh, Labadens eighth, Foliac ninth, Dark Fox tenth, and Carpathus last. Time—2 mins. 41 2-5 secs.
Draw for Places—1 (outside) Norseman, 2 Cloudbank, 3 Celebrate, 4 Puttenden, 5 Labadens, 6 False Alarm, 7 Carpathus, 8 D'Orsay, 9 Carryduff, 10 Shining Spear, 11 Vaudricourt, 12 Little Marten, 13 Daimyo, 14 Jazz Band, 15 Dark Fox, 16 Irish Eagle, 17 Foliac.

2.30—LAST SELLING HANDICAP of £200. 5 f.
Mr. Stratton's br. g. YARNTON, by Romeo—Scent, 5, 6-8 ....A. Glasgow 1
Mr. Halse's SUNDAY RAMBLER, 3, 6-12 Alford 2
Mrs. Kimberley's THE MERCHANT, 6, 6-2 F. Brooks 3
Also ran—Aldersey (Beary), Royal Hussar (J. Hine), Sure Gain (R. Jones), Ad Astra (Orme), Humming Bee (J. Grundy), Anchorsholme (Marland), Baytol (A. Burch), John Joe (Wadsworth), Naples (J. Colling), Joanfax (Hodge), Phlox (Richards), My Pal (Lindborg), Desperation (Howard), Seeker (R. James), Irish Skies (J. Caldwell), Doubler (P. Donoghue), Fellowship (McLachlan, jun.), Double Gift (Christian), Tocsin (G. Harwood), Scottish Elegance (J. Marshall). Off 2.33. (Winner trained by Martin.)
Betting—4 to 1 agst. Aldersey, 8 to 1 each Baytol, Sunday Rambler and Scottish Elegance, 10 to 1 each Ad Astra, Anchorsholme, Phlox and Desperation, 100 to 8 Royal Hussar, 100 to 7 each Tocsin and The Merchant, 25 to 1 YARNTON or any other.
Won by a neck; two lengths.
An objection to the winner for boring was overruled.
There was no bid for the winner.

3.0—WORSLEY NURSERY HANDICAP a sweepstakes, £5 each, £200 added. 1 m.
Mr. Sandeman's b. g. HORACE GROOM, by Cylba—Mary Tavy, 7-8 ....Smirke 1
Sir W. Cooke's DESLIONI Colt, 7-6 ...R. James 2
Mr. W. Singer's IXIA, 7-7 ....Marland 3
Also ran—Blanc Mange (Beary), Perfect Son (Donoghue), Speedy Prince (G. Hulme), Going Gay (Perryman), Monsieur Bacon (McLachlan, jun.), Linger Lucie (Lindborg), Orange Plume (R. Jones), Concession (G. Richards), Nico (A. Burns), Green Hop (H. Leach), Bewilderment (Alford), Life Line (T. Weston), Silent Gun (J. Marshall). Off 3.4. (Winner trained by Elsey.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Deslioni c., 5 to 1 Orange Plume, 8 to 1 each Blanc Mange and Ixia, 10 to 1 Perfect Son, 100 to 8 each HORACE GROOM, Speedy Prince and Bewilderment, 100 to 7 Linger Lucie, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a length; a neck.

3.30—FINAL PLATE of £300. Second £40, third £20. 1¼ m.
Mr. Mackean's ch. h. SOLDENNIS, by Tredennis—Soligena, 6, 9-2 ....T. Burns 1
Mr. Basset's ON THE SOMME, 3, 7-0 Richards 2
Mr. P. Nelke's DEFIANCE, 3, 7-3 ....Alford 3
Also ran—Sir Greysteel (Thwaites), Front Line (Donoghue), Retrieve (Orme), Magic Flower (H. Leach). Off 3.38. (Winner trained by Jeffrey.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. SOLDENNIS, 4 to 1 On the Somme, 6 to 1 Defiance, 7 to 1 each Sir Greysteel and Front Line, 8 to 1 Retrieve, 100 to 6 Magic Flower.
Won by six lengths; a head.

BETTING FORECAST.

BIRMINGHAM.

1. 0 Race—5 to 4 agst. Golden Fleece, 5 to 2 Glengarry II., 9 to 2 Munster Marine, 6 to 1 Cupid's Dart, 7 to 1 each Newtown Wonder and Holy Wizard, 8 to 1 Heathencote, 10 to 1 any other.

1.30 Race—3 to 1 agst. Bruff Battle, 7 to 2 Derravagh, 4 to 1 False Report II., 2 to 1 Orange River, 6 to 1 Repaid, 7 to 1 each Lady Bramshot and Bachelor's Bevel, 10 to 1 Bilsthorpe, 100 to 8 any other.

2. 0 Race—2 to 1 Ardeen, 3 to 1 Gerald Junior, 4 to 1 Hairpin II., 9 to 2 Fly Mask, 6 to 1 Turkey Buzzard, 7 to 1 Good Points, 8 to 1 Saltus, 10 to 1 any other.

2.30 Race—2 to 1 Envoy, 3 to 1 Old Times, 9 to 2 Firing Line, 5 to 1 Ballyalton, 7 to 1 each White Mountain and Rossieny, 8 to 1 each Argo and Radiant River, 10 to 1 Trusty, 100 to 8 any other.

3. 0 Race—5 to 4 agst. Carlach, 7 to 2 Red Cyder, 5 to 1 Hilton, 7 to 1 each Cyzara and Midnight Folly, 8 to 1 Chain Hill, 10 to 1 each Queen Roberts and Bongphalia, 100 to 7 any other.

3.30 Race—9 to 2 agst. Knockcroghery II., 3 to 1 Snapper, 9 to 2 Colestown, 3 to 1 Ballymorry, 7 to 1 each Hagiology and Cylvida, 8 to 1 each Hackdene and Devonport, 10 to 1 each Royal Chancellor and L'Aiglon II., 100 to 8 any other.

"FORM" HORSES.

BIRMINGHAM.

1. 0 Race—Golden Fleece.
1.30 Race—Derravagh.
2. 0 Race—Hairpin II.
2.30 Race—Envoy.
3. 0 Race—Carlach.
3.30 Race—Knockcroghery II.
DOUBLE—Envoy and Carlach (nap).

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Helsedelite. Double—Helsedelite and Fortissimo.

Daily News:—Double—Ardeen and Carlach.

Daily Express:—Safety bet — Turkey Buzzard (to win). Double—Wee Mon and Turkey Buzzard.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Golden Fleece and Battle Cruiser.

Daily Graphic:—Double — Golden Fleece and Red Splash.

BIRMINGHAM

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The jumping season opens at Birmingham to-day, where good fields and some fair sport are generally assured. The course, considering the time of year, is in excellent order. The most interesting race will probably prove to be the Coleshill Steeplechase, for which I like either Fly Mask or Red Splash. The first-named is undoubtedly a smart 'chaser, but, though I fear Red Splash has deteriorated somewhat, if he is anywhere near his best he should win, for he put up one or two brilliant performances last season. For the Sutton Handicap Hurdle I am informed that Radiant River is thoroughly fit and well, and so he must be my choice. Selections:—

Smethwick Steeplechase—Golden Fleece.
Steachford Hurdle—Derravaragh.
Coleshill Steeplechase—Red Splash.
Sutton Handicap—Radiant River.
Three-Year-Old Hurdle—Secrates.
Aston Steeplechase—Devonport.

1.0—SMETHWICK S'CHASE (S), £150 2m. Age st. lb.
HEATHENCOTE (Mr. W. Parrish) Shedden a 11 11
GOLDEN FLEECE (Mr. W. Parrish) D. Harrison a 11 11
HOLY WIZARD (Mrs. N. Robert) Saxby a 11 11
(The above have arrived.)
MORNING STAR (Mr. J. Baylis) T. Leader a 11 11
MUNSTER MARINE (Mrs. Brassey) Private a 11 11
STROLLING KNIGHT (Mr. R. Brown) Private a 11 11
NEWTOWN WONDER (Mr. H. Brueton) Chamberlain 6 11 11
GLENGARRY II. (Mrs. Crichton) Coulthwaite a 11 11
CUPID'S DART (Capt. McDougal) McDougal a 11 11
HELSDELITE (Capt. Hastings)...Brooks 6 11 7

1.30—STECHFORD HURDLE HANDICAP (S.) of £200. Second £5. 2 m. Age st. lb.
WISE FOLLY (Mr. G. Hilditch) ...Spittle 6 12 9
FALSE REPORT (Mr. J. Holmes) D. Harrison a 11 11
DERRAVARAGH (Mr. E. Stanley) Hastings 5 11 10
BUFFOON (Mr. H. Adams) ......Newey 6 11 1
BOREAS (Mr. R. White) ....Private 4 11 1
OUR BILLY (Capt. Pepper).........Hait 4 11 0
OH HELP (Mr. W. Warner) ......Newey 4 11 0
BACHELOR'S BEVEL (Mr. W. Parrish) Shedden a 10 13
LADY BRAMSHOT (Dr. D. Faber) Hait 5 10 12
PURPLE RIDER (Mr. J. Aitken) Aitken 5 10 9
WALTON HEATH (Mr. A. Stringer) Drury a 10 9
MADURO (Mr. H. Dennis) ....Newey a 10 8
(The above have arrived.)
REPAID (Mr. W. Needham) ....Saxby 5 12 4
WATERFORD GLASS II. (Mr. H. Cope) Newey a 12 2
NONENTITY (Mr. C. Methven) ...Powell a 12 1
IRISH ELF (Mr. A. Aston) ....Toon 5 12 0
ORANGE RIVER (Major Eves) W. Payne 4 12 0
KONKY (Mr. W. Whiteman) ....Burns a 11 12
WISE PRINCE (Mr. A. Blake)...J. Dodd 6 11 12
CHICOT (Mr. F. Lambert) ....Rimell 4 11 8
RUSSIAN SABLE (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan 6 11 8
BABU (Mr. J. Holmes) ......D. Harrison 4 11 8
SUCCESSOR (Mr. H. Brueton) Chamberlin a 11 7
WARRAIN (Mr. C. Piggott) ...C. Piggott 5 11 7
BOYNE WATER (Mr. G. Lawrence) Lawrence a 11 7
MORNING STAR (Mr. J. Baylis) T. Leader a 11 6
WINDCOTE (Mr. G. Reed) ......R. Payne 4 11 4
SUFFOLK DUMPLING (Mr. Challenor) Gilbert 4 11 4
LANGSIDE (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan 5 11 4
WARWICK (Mr. J. Brown) ....Martin 4 11 4
BLACK MASK (Mr. R. Davison) E. Piggott 4 11 3
WEE MON (Mr. J. Baylis) ....Shedden 4 11 3
OCTABELLA'S PRIDE (Mr. S. Morris) Vasey 5 11 3
BILSTHORPE (Mrs. A. Bickley) Bickley 4 11 3
MUNSTER'S PRIDE (Mr. L. Oppenheim) Barthropp 4 11 1
B. JAY (Mr. W. Payne) ....W. Payne 6 10 12
EDNA'S CHOICE (Mrs. E. Wharton) Bedford 5 10 11
DRINK LESS (Mr. H. A. Brown) H. Brown 5 10 5
ARVAKUR (Mr. E. McGregor) McGregor 6 10 5
BRUFF BATTLE (Mrs. H. A. Brown) H. Brown 5 10 1
BALLYHANDY (Miss B. Virgo) Hogan a 10 0
ACE OF DIAMONDS (Mr. Giannelli) Shedden 5 10 0
LITTLE MILFORD (Mr. D. Thomas) D. Harrison a 10 0
DIVIDEND (Mr. H. Caddick) ....Private a 10 0
UBEOFF (Mr. Rutland) ...Chamberlain 5 10 0

2.0—COLESHILL STEEPLECHASE, £100. Second £10. 3 m. Age st. lb.
GERALD JUNIOR (Mr. H. Harrison) H. Harrison 5 11 7
(The above has arrived.)
TURKEY BUZZARD (Mrs. H. Hollins) W. Payne a 12 7
FLY MASK (Mr. T. Laidlaw) Coulthwaite a 12 7
RED SPLASH (Maj. Wyndham) Withington 5 12 7
ARDEEN (Sir K. Fraser) ....Private a 12 0
GOOD POINTS (Mr. Sankey) H. Brown a 12 0
HAIRPIN II. (Mr. G. Sanday) ...Sanday a 12 0
HARRISMITH (Col. Birkin) ...W. Payne a 12 0
WYVERN (Mr. W. Stokes) ....Stokes a 11 10
DARE ALL (Mr. A. Scott) ....A. Scott 6 11 7
FRUSCINO (Mr. W. Paul) ....Sanday a 11 7
CANNY KNIGHT (Mr. A. Scott) A. Scott a 11 7
KAREL (Mr. G. Eaton) ....Private 5 11 0
LITTLE HOLLOA (Lady Grey) ....Private a 11 0
SALTUS (Mr. H. Mills) ....McDougal a 11 0
GLENFARG (Miss Patrick) ....Bedford a 11 0
RED BEE (Maj. Wernher) ......Coulthwaite a 11 0

2.30—SUTTON HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 250 sovs. Second 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
RADIANT RIVER (Mr. Beer) Leach, jun. 5 12 0
BALLYALTON (Sir F. Price) ...Gilbert 4 11 5
W. Renwick 4 11 5
WHITE MOUNTAIN (Maj. W. Renwick)
BUBBLY (Mr. J. Holmes) ...D. Harrison 9 11 2
TRUSTY (Mr. F. N. Ault) ....Newey 4 11 2
ROSEMARY (Mr. W. Webster) McCormack 4 11 1
MONTAGUE (Mr. R. Day) ...A. Waugh 4 10 12
(The above have arrived.)
ARGO (Lord Londesborough) Coulthwaite 5 12 7
FIRING LINE (Mr. J. M. Misa) J. Misa 6 12 7
OLD TIMES (Mr. C. Taylor) Coulthwaite 6 12 1
LEGEND (Mr. J. M'Lean) ...M'Guigan 6 12 1
RED IRON (Mr. D. Faber)...R. W. Hatt 5 11 10
SON O' LEE (Mr. J. Smyth) ....Burns 5 11 10
ENVOY (Mr. H. A. Brown) ...H. Brown 5 11 9
BATTLE CRUISER (Mr. Mealings) Butchers 4 11 8
ROSSIENY (Mrs. H. Hollins) W. Payne 5 11 7
STOCKWOOD (Mr. J. Rhodes) Peacock 5 11 7
DR. BARNEY (Mr. J. Groarke) E. Doyle 5 11 7
END OVER END (Mr. H. Glover) H. Hunt 4 11 5
YOUNG HEROINE (Mr. S. Oram) Bickley 4 10 12

3.0—THREE-Y.O. HURDLE RACE, £150. Second £15. 1½ m. st. lb.
CLOTH OF GOLD (Mr. J. Baylis) T. Leader 10 7
TRAGACANTH (Lord H. de Walden) D. Waugh 10 7
SOCRATES (Mr. A. McAlpine)...C. Leader 10 7
RED CYDER (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 10 7
(The above have arrived.)
HILTON (Major Power) ....Hatt 11 5
GLEN GALANTE (Lt.-Colonel Wingfield) Pope 11 0
MISS CONTRARY (Mr. H. Armitage) Farquharson 10 7
ORMLINE (Mr. C. Barlow)..........Riste 10 7
FORTISSIMO (Mr. E. Bates)........Private 10 7
GREAT SPAN (Mr. M. Blair)........Tabor 10 7
VANISHING LADY (Mr. M. Blair)...Tabor 10 7
QUEEN ROBERTA (Mr. C. Bowser) F. Lyall 10 7
FLAITH MOR (Mr. H. Braime)......Braime 10 7
FRONT ROW (Mr. F. Cole)............Cole 10 7
IMPRUDENCE (Mrs. Cornelius)...Butchers 10 7
SURE GAIN (Mr. H. Cottrill).........Cottrill 10 7
NAPTHA (Mr. T. Coulthwaite)...Coulthwaite 10 7
CLANSMAN (Mr. M. Dollar).......W. Payne 10 7
GOLDEN FIZZ (Major Eves).......W. Payne 10 7
TORSION (Mr. F. Finn)...............Toon 10 7
CYZARA (Captain Broadley)...J. Renwick 10 7
PILATUS (Mr. H. Horst)......F. Hartigan 10 7
PREFACE (Mr. J. Holmes)......D. Harrison 10 7
SYNCOPATE (Mr. J. Hutton) ....Poole 10 7
ASTONISHMENT (Mr. G. Jackson)..Jackson 10 7
MUSIC STAR (Mr. J. McLean).......Reidy 10 7
DANUM (Mr. S. Morris) ....Vasey 10 7
LISLEA (Mr. P. Murphy)...........J. Doyle 10 7
THE BAKER (Mr. L. Oppenheim) Barthropp 10 7
MEDALLION (Mr. M. Peacock)...Peacock 10 7
BECALMED C. (Mr. B. Pearson)...Piggott 10 7
SWEET HAINHAULT (Mr. W. Philips) Philips, jun. 10 7
CHAIN HILL (Mr. C. Roken).........East 10 7
PORPHYRION (Mr. W. Sadler)...Butchers 10 7
RETRIEVE (Mr. A. Scott)..............A. Scott 10 7
NIGHT GUARD (Mr. A. Scott).........A. Scott 10 7
BONGPHALIA (Mr. J. Settle)......C. Davis 10 7
HAT ROCK (Mr. F. Sharp).............Saxby 10 7
MAGIC BLUE (Lt.-Colonel Stewart) Private 10 7
MIDNIGHT FOLLY (Mr. H. Stokes) Smyth 10 7
CYRUS (Mr. C. Wadia)............Crawford 10 7
POLYGONATUM (Mr. A. Barclay Walker) Coulthwaite 10 7
ULSTER BAY (Mr. W. Warner)...Bletsoe 10 7
GRANDPAU (Lady Westmorland) Westmorland 10 7

3.30—ASTON STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP, £150. Second £10. 2 m. Age st. lb.
COLESTOWN (Mr. Deterding) R. Payne a 12 2
DEVONPORT (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan a 11 6
POLYNIA (Mr. H. Dennis) ......Newey 5 11 5
BLARNOR (Mr. H. Prel) ...H. Harrison a 11 1
HARRY HART (Mr. Munday) Harrison 6 10 9
HAGIOLOGY (Mr. A. Newey) ....Newey a 10 9
FUGO (Mr. T. Davidson) ....Private 6 10 9
HACKDENE (Mr. E. Stanley) ..Hastings 4 10 5
(The above have arrived.)
ROYAL CHANCELLOR (Lord Westmorland) ......Westmorland a 12 7
SNAPPER (Mr. W. Murray) ...McDougal 6 12 1
KNOCKCROGHERY II. (Mr. H. Brown) H. Brown a 11 10
BALLYMACRORY (Mr. R. Ross) ..Luby a 11 10
PAUL (Mr. W. Sears) ....Private a 11 7
RATHMORE (Mr. A. Hood) ....Sanday a 11 2
CINDRALLY (Miss N. Paull) ...A. Doyle 6 11 1
WILD TIMES (Mr. H. Brown) H. Brown a 11 0
TIME ENOUGH (Mr. H. Beeby) A. Doyle a 10 12
LADY ALVEY (Mr. Deterding) R. Payne 6 10 12
VOCALION (Mr. W. Baker) ....F. Lyall 5 10 11
CYLVIDA (Mr. E. Piggott) .....B. Piggott 5 10 11
DARE ALL (Mr. A. Scott) ....A. Scott 6 10 11
L'AIGLON II. (Mr. T. Cholmondeley) Coulthwaite a 10 10
FORMIDABLE (Lord Cawley) ......Powell 4 10 10
PICTREEN (Mr. W. Phillip) ......Philip 6 10 8
GROUND SCOUT (Mr. H. Brown) Brown 6 10 8
PASSAROE (Capt. Bibby) ......Withington 4 10 5
JARGOON (Mr. L. Oppenheim) Barthropp 5 10 0

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.
Tuesday—Mullingar.

ENGLAND.
To-day and To-morrow—Birmingham.
Wednesday and Thursday—Newbury.
Friday and Saturday—Kempton Park.

RUGBY.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

NEW ZEALAND (16) V. CARDIFF (8).

In the first match of their second visit of the tour to Wales, New Zealand defeated Cardiff at Cardiff Arms Park by two placed goals, a penalty goal, and a try to a placed goal and a penalty goal, or 16 points to 8. As might have been expected with the weather fine, a huge crowd attended the match, it being estimated that 45,000 people were present. They saw a great struggle, in which the Cardiff forwards held their own wonderfully well, but the expert pace and opportunism of the New Zealand backs turned the game. The New Zealand backs seized every possible chance, and turned it to account, their forwards being as good in this respect as their backs. Cardiff, on the other hand, showed a sad lack of finish. They brought off in the course of the game at least half-a-dozen good movements which, with proper execution, should have produced tries. They were, however, slow on the mark, Cornish and Powell being notable offenders in this respect. The difference between the methods of the two sides was very noticeable, for Cooke, Nicholls, Brown and Lucas were away like a flash directly they had the opportunity. The Cardiff forwards played a fast, bustling game, and came through so well that there were very few orthodox passing movements on the art of the New Zealand backs, whose scores came from the seizing of stray chances. Still, the best try of the game was undoubtedly that scored by Lucas, who got the ball from a line-out. Cardiff, in the second half, did a lot of attacking, and at one period they got over three times, only to have the tries disallowed.

Delahay played a great game for them, getting through an immense amount of wonderful clever work after the change of ends, when for the most part Cardiff had the best of matters.

Cardiff started well, and in the first ten minutes nearly got over from a forward rush, but then the "All Blacks" attacked, Lucas being held up by Johnson a yard from the line. Later on Cornish intercepted, and ran through in brilliant style to kick over Nepia's head. Nicholls, however, gained possession, and relieved with a good kick to touch. Penalised forty yards out, Cardiff had a goal scored against them by Nicholls. Then Powell passed to Cornish, who punted ahead, and in a race for the ball Nepia just beat Johnson. Returning to the attack, Lucas scored a try for the "All Blacks" in the corner, and then White went in for Nicholls to convert, so that at half-time New Zealand led by 11 points to nil.

Early in the second half Cardiff attacked strongly, but New Zealand broke away, and Porter obtained a try, from which Nicholls kicked a goal. The "All Blacks" were then penalised, and Wallace kicked a goal for Cardiff, while before the end Delahay, receiving from a scrum a yard outside the line, dived over with a try, Wallace converting. The closing stages were marked by a great struggle between the forwards, the Cardiff pack being superior to the others. Result:—

New Zealand—3 goals (1 penalty) 1 try (16 pts.).
Cardiff—2 goals (1 penalty) (8 points).

Teams:—

Cardiff—Dr. T. Wallace; T. Johnson, R. A. Cornish, J. Powell, R. Rayer; W. J. Delahay, Danny Davies; Idris Richards, F. Stephens, S. Hinam, W. Ireson, T. Lewis, J. Brown, C. O'Leary, and W. J. Ould.

New Zealand—G. Nepia; K. S. Svenson, H. W. Brown, F. W. Lucas; M. F. Nicholls, A. E. Cooke; C. G. Porter, J. Mill; Q. Donald, W. R. Irvine, M. J. Brownlie, R. R. Masters, J. Richardson, A. White, and J. H. Parker.

WANDERERS (9) V. COLLEGIANS (5).

On a soft ground, and with a greasy ball, these teams did not give a very high-class exhibition of the game at Lansdowne road on Saturday. Wanderers were the better team all through, their forwards always holding the upper-hand, but it was not until nearing the end that they made the match safe. They well deserved their victory by a penalty goal, but the team did not give a very convincing display. Still, the side is one that should show better form later on, as most of the players are young, and as yet lacking in experience. This especially applies to the centre three-quarters, whose passing was of the obvious kind. Neither attempted a cut through at any stage, but otherwise played well, as did both wings on the few occasions the ball came their way. The only score in the first half was a converted try by Collegians, and for a good way through the second half it looked as if this would be the deciding score of the match. Wanderers, all this time, were having the better of the play, but lack of enterprise by the backs nullified the efforts of the forwards. Towards the close, however, the superiority of Wanderers' forwards was very marked, and the backs also showing improvement, a penalty goal and two good tries were scored.

D. Kennedy, the Wanderers' full back, while not making any serious mistake, was not as safe as usual, while his kicking also was not so sound. There is good material in the three-quarter line, which requires bringing out, but in this game their passing was much too slow and worked across to the touch lines instead of straight ahead. Rose and Poff were the best. Murray got the ball away from the scrummages smartly, but Higginbotham should have made more use of his opportunities. Of a useful pack of forwards, Smith, Potterton, Ackland and Buchanan were the hardest workers.

For Collegians, Kerr, at full back, was very safe; Long, Gillespie and Galloway were the best of the other backs; and, forward, M'Vicker, M'Kee and Mahony worked hard all through.

Though the Wanderers were the attacking side from the outset, Collegians early took the lead. This was the result of an intercept by Grant, who, after a short run, transferred to Galloway, and the latter, having a clear run to the goal line, went in for a try, which Gillespie converted. Wanderers' forwards, notably Buchanan, Smith and Potterton, did some smart dribbling after this, and later Wanderers' backs frequently got the ball without making much headway. Collegians then had a passing move, which Kennedy stopped, and play moving to the other end, the visitors were penalised close to their goal, but Kennedy missed an easy kick. Good tackling by Greer stopped a Collegians' attacking movement, in which Gillespie was prominent, and before the interval Kennedy was again astray with an attempt at a penalty goal, Collegians retaining their five points' lead when ends were changed.

Gillespie was prominent for Collegians on resuming, and Wanderers for some minutes were pressed. Kennedy came to the rescue, however, with a smart kick, and then some good play by Hearne, Buchanan and Smith let Wanderers to beyond centre. Next came a good move by Rose, and Greer picking up had a dash, but was tackled. A score to Wanderers was, however, not long delayed. From a pass by Murray, Rose put in a good run, and handing off a couple of opponents scored at the corner. Kennedy took the kick, but failed to convert. Encouraged by their success, Wanderers continued to attack, and from a free in front of the posts, Potterton landed a goal, thus putting Wanderers ahead. A short attack by Collegians was followed by strong pressure from Wanderers, and Murray and Poff had a short bout of passing, which almost yielded a score. Wanderers continued the pressure, and just before the end Murray sent out to Greer, who went over for a try, which Potterton failed to convert. Result:—

Wanderers .... 1 penalty goal and 2 tries (9 points)
Belfast Collegians.. 1 goal (5 points)

Wanderers—Kennedy; Greer, Rose, Collins, Poff; Murray, Higginbotham; Ackland, Anderson, Buchanan, Fidler, T. Hearne, Potterton, Smith, A. L. Murray.

Collegians—Kerr; Majury, Grant, Galloway, Long; Gillespie, Calvert; McVicker, Mahony, McKee, Castles, Hillyard, Thompson, Mahony, Fuller.

Referee—Mr. W. A. Daish.

INSTONIANS (7) V. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY (0).

Dublin University sustained another defeat by a Northern club on Saturday, Instonians winning at Ravenhill, Belfast, by a dropped goal and a try to nothing. The visitors were without J. D. Clinch, but were otherwise at full strength. Rain had fallen heavily all the morning, and though it ceased for most of the time play was in progress, the ground was very slippery and the ball hard to hold. As a consequence there was little passing on either side, and with play largely confined to the forwards the game was a most uninteresting one from the spectators' view point. The Instonians' pack, though conceding weight, adapted themselves better to the conditions, and generally in the scrummages and in the loose rushes which prevailed had more of the ball than Trinity.

There was no score in the first half, but early in the second W. Hall sent out a long pass to Douglas, who was well backed up by Abernethy, the latter scoring near the corner. W. Hall failed to improve the try, but a few minutes later dropped a great goal. Trinity were very nearly scoring on several occasions, but just failed to push their advantages home. One fine burst by Steele looked certain to produce a score, but in the race over the line Douglas got there first to touch down.

A prominent feature of the match was the splendid fielding and kicking of both full-backs, who vied with each other in the way they held the greasy ball, and the excellent length they invariably obtained. Douglas was also good in this respect, but the remainder of the Instonians' backs appeared to be off colour. Campbell, Halliday, Goldsborough, and M'Dowell were the best of a pack that never slacked.

R. Cussen and Millin were the pick of the Trinity three-quarters, and Sugden and Nunns were useful when getting the ball, which was not too frequently. Stuart was the most noticeable forward in the loose, but neither he nor Crichton pulled their full weight in the tight, where Chance and Flood were hard workers. Result:—

Instonians—1 dropped goal, 1 try (7 points).
Dublin University—Nil.

Teams:—

Instonians—G. A. Armstrong; A. C. Douglas, B. Abernethy, J. A. Hall, and R. O. M'Clenahan; W. H. Hall (capt.) and J. C. M'Dowell; H. Copeland, J. P. Campbell, W. G. Dick, G. B. Goldsborough, H. Halliday, J. M. M'Dowell, J. Neill, and T. G. Ward.

Trinity—E. W. Bingham; D. L. Cussen, R. J. Cussen, T. J. Millin, and J. L. Steele; C. Nunns and M. Sugden; R. G. Keays, R. Y. Crichton (capt.), O. Chance, R. D. Flood, A. H. Pike, I. M. Stuart, J. H. Wallace, and J. F. Jones.

Referee—Mr. Wallace Harland.

MONKSTOWN (5) V. UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (3).

Weather conditions utterly spoiled the game between Monkstown and University College at Sydney parade on Saturday. Rain and a sodden pitch, especially in the centre of the field, reduced the play, perforce, to a forward rushing and touch kicking one, and the result would have been better indicated by a draw, for Monkstown scored once and converted, while the students scored once, but the kick dropped short, and the home side won by a goal to a try. Neither club was at full strength, Swanton, E. S. Crawford and Rankin being absent from the home ranks, while University College were without the services of Russell, T. V. Davy, A. Spain, Silke and Pigott. The game was purely a forward one, the rival packs taking control, and back movements, owing to the greasy ball, breaking down time and again. There were numerous frees, and both sides attacked in turn. O'Brien, Ganly, Tittle, Pickeman and Walmsley doing good work for the home side, while Davy and McGowan gave their backs plenty of the ball, and Cullen, Brosnan and Liddy were prominent in the pack. Towards the end of the first half College threw away a certain score when McGowan sent Davy away to transfer to Hogan, but the last named passed forward on the line. Then the best bit of play in the match came, Pickeman breaking away from the centre to send Ganly over at the left, Pickeman converting well.

On resuming, College put up a long and strenuous attack, and from a rush Brosnan scored at the left corner, but Davy's kick, though well directed, just dropped short from a difficult angle. Monkstown put in a strenuous spell of attack, and the visitors were rather lucky to escape by a couple of touch-downs, Monkstown winning a poor game by 2 points.

For Monkstown, Stafford was sound at back, O'Brien and Ganly did best in the three-quarter line, Lyons was plucky at the base of the scrum, and Tittle, Pickeman, Walmsley and Rutherford were the best of the forwards. For the College, Hussey defended well, Hogan was the best of the threes, Davy and McGowan over-shadowed their opponents at half, and of a pack that carried a few passengers, Cullen, Brosnan, Liddy and Winters were the most prominent. Result:—

Monkstown—1 goal (5 points).
University College—1 try (3 points).

Teams:—

Monkstown—R. Stafford; D. L. O'Brien, P. Goodbody, J. B. Ganly, C. McCaldin; D. Lyons, H. A. Britain; R. R. Tittle, D. C. Pickeman, R. A. Ross Todd, C. E. G. Mulhern, J. Murphy, A. J. Walmsley, A. E. Rutherford, J. Mack.

University College—P. Hussey; T. Morris, G. P. S. Hogan, J. M. O'Sullivan, T. J. Lawlor; E. Davy, P. McGowan; J. Cullen, J. Liddy, M. Brosnan, J. J. Winters, E. Hanrahan, A. Culhane, P. McNally, E. McCarron.

Referee—Mr. T. Bell.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY (14) V. LANSDOWNE (4).

After the heavy rain of Friday night and Saturday morning the ground at Cherryvale, where Queen's University had Lansdowne as visitors, was in a sodden state. The rain held off in the first half, but the second half was played under conditions cheerless alike for both players and the few spectators who were present. In the circumstances the teams served up a fair display, and the Dublin forwards put in some useful dribbling, but Queen's were much better served behind, and crossed the Lansdowne line four times. The greasy ball was against accurate handling, but the winners' backs were much surer in their passing, and displayed more resource than their opponents. The Queen's defence was also sounder, though Crawford played a sterling game at full back, his fielding being safe and his kicking of good length.

The first two scores to the home side came when Lansdowne were attacking, weakness in the centre allowing first Stephenson and then McKee to cut through. In the first case the international three-quarter, with several colleagues at hand, went through on his own, to score far out; while McKee, after cutting through, ran to Crawford, and passed out to Hewitt, who had a clear run in between the posts. The second try was converted by Stephenson, and Queen's were eight points ahead at the interval.

A further score to Queen's came early in the second half, when Hewitt, receiving from McKee, sent Stephenson in; and then a sustained Lansdowne attack saw Guise-Brown drop a clever goal. Later, when the Lansdowne forwards were dribbling away from their own line Stephenson picked up, and Hewitt crossed, after coming outside Sweeney on the wing. Both Queen's goal kicks in this half were missed.

The visitors' three-quarters displayed little combination, but Dillon, on the left wing, showed promise. Guise-Brown, after Crawford, was the best of the back division. The forwards were a useful, hard-working pack, with little finish, and Whitty, Keogh, Brown, and T. O. Pike were best. McKee at out-half for Queen's played finely, and Hewitt and Stephenson co-operated well in the centre. Stewart was sound at full, and Caruth, Dickson, and Segerdal showed up well in the forwards. Result:—

Queen's University—1 goal 3 tries (14 pts.)
Lansdowne—1 dropped goal (4 pts.).

Teams:—

Queen's University—J. W. Stewart (capt.); W. H. Patterson, G. V. Stephenson, T. Hewitt, A. H. Sweeney; M. A. Rea, F. W. McKee; G. Caruth, N. Calvin, N. S. Dickson, K. Forsythe, C. W. Kidd, D. A. C. Knight, C. D. Patterson, J. A. Segerdal.

Lansdowne—W. E. Crawford; H. C. Dodds, T. V. Harris, R. E. Maguire, M. Dillon; D. T. McWeeney, B. N. Guise-Brown; M. Bell, W. G. Brown, J. D. Rooney, W. Keogh, J. M'Enery, T. O. Pike, R. B. Pike, and P. T. Whitty (capt.).

NORTH (14) V. BECTIVE RANGERS (0).

The third of the series of Dublin matches in Belfast on Saturday was played at Ormeau, when N.I.F.C. beat Bective Rangers pointless, the home side's score being a goal and three tries. Although the conditions were all against a good exposition of the handling code the North backs game a much better account of themselves than the Bective Rangers' rear division did. North had also good assistance from the forwards, and the two tries scored in the first half came from this department, the scorers being Payne and Brand. In the second half tries were added by H. Jackson and Pollock, the first of which was converted by Mayne. Result:—

N.I.F.C.—1 goal, 3 tries (14 points).
Bective Rangers—Nil.

Teams:—

N.I.F.C.—F. Zebedee; R. Hamilton, B. A. T. M'Farland, H. W. Jackson, A. S. Pollock; J. R. Wheeler, T. Mayne; T. N. Brand, T. Bramwell, D. Cunningham, R. Hutchinson, L. M'Combe, H. Russell, C. T. Payne, G. Tyrell.

Bective Rangers—J. Ballagh; Kilroy, N. Atkins, S. Ballagh, J. Fitzgerald; M. O'Meara, G. O'Neill, J. Farrell, R. Collopy, C. Fagan, D. Ryan, D. O'Brien, J. M'Morough, D. Pedlow, P. M'Alister.

Referee—Mr. Balfour M'Gown.

OLD WESLEY (14) V. KNOCK (9).

The disagreeable conditions which prevailed on Saturday spoiled this match to a great extent. The ground at Donnybrook, considering the amount of rain that fell, was in fairly good order, but the ball became heavier and more difficult to hold as the game progressed, and in the second half play was nothing more or less than a scramble, relieved by occasional good individual efforts. Wesley won by a goal and three tries to a penalty goal and two tries, and they were full value for their winning margin on the day's play. In the first half they were very much the superior side; their forwards succeeded in their task of supplying the backs with the ball, and the latter handling cleverly and showing resource individually and in collective movements. They led deservedly by 11 points to nil at the interval. Although the standard of play deteriorated in the second half, the visitors infused far more spirit into their efforts and the struggle became more keen, and there were times when Wesley had some cause for uneasiness about the result.

Kapp, at full, for the winners, although having a couple of kicks charged down, did well, on the whole. Holland and Glanville were the best of the three-quarter line, and Massey at scrum got the ball away particularly well in the first half, and was very sound in defence. Young at out-half showed smart form, and exploited the cut-through with success on several occasions. His handling and kicking were also very good. The forwards had a couple of bad periods in the second half, but taken all through did well, and about the best of them were Gray, Atkinson, Fitzpatrick and Clegg.

Knock did not travel at full strength, J. T. Smyth, Barnett and Campbell being the most prominent absentees. Gardiner was only moderate at full; Cather and Topping were the most useful of the three-quarter line, and Orchard spoiled and tackled well at scrum-half. The pack did well in the second half, and the most prominent were Munn, Scott, Bennett and Rudd.

Glanville got the first score for Wesley after cleverly side-stepping a couple of opponents, following a good back movement, and Young placed a goal. Running across, Glanville paved the way for another score, as, after passing Richardson, he short-kicked ahead, and Latimer dribbled over and scored at the corner, no goal resulting. The visitors temporarily held their own, but a good run by Holland left play once again in Knock territory, and Massey dashed through a bunch of opponents to send Clegg over for the third score.

Immediately after resuming, M'Millan got hold at half-way and, running strongly, scored a fine try for Knock, who had the better of matters for some time, and Munn further reduced the lead by turning a penalty to account. Wesley attacked strongly following these reverses, and after several players had been held up in turn near the line, Fitzpatrick got over for an unconverted try. Another score soon followed; Orchard, fielding a cross-kick by Price at half-way and outpacing the opposition, brought Knock's total to nine points. Wesley had the better of the closing stages, but there was no further scoring. Result:—

Old Wesley—1 goal and 3 tries (14 pts.)
Knock—1 penalty goal and 2 tries (9 pts.)

Teams:—

Old Wesley—F. H. Kapp; W. H. Glanville, B. O. Holland, L. Richardson, W. A. Latimer; G. J. Young, R. W. Massey; R. D. Gray, E. R. Barnett, G. W. Clegg, T. S. Atkinson, D. S. Alley, D. C. Fitzpatrick, G. G. Alexander, R. A. Paul.

Knock—Gardiner; J. T. Cather, R. B. Price, D. Sturgeon, J. Topping; W. S. Orchard, H. M'Millan; R. G. Bennett, E. C. Dudgeon, R. Holmes, —. M'Keown, S. J. Nunn, E. T. Rudd, T. King, K. Scott.

Referee—Mr. J. H. Miles.

PALMERSTON (3) V. CLONTARF (0)

At Castle avenue on Saturday the home side were defeated by Palmerston by a penalty goal to nil. As on the occasion of their first meeting at the opening of the season, the day was very bad, the game on this occasion being well advanced before the rain ceased to fall. The ground was consequently in a very soft and sodden condition, and the ball difficult to handle. Some allowance may, therefore, be made for the game which was of a poor order. The forwards on both sides worked vigorously, but without sufficient finish. The backs on both sides were a negligible factor in respect of combination, hardly any handling being attempted, and that proving of the feeblest, their usefulness being nearly altogether limited to defence, with a few individual efforts to press forward the attack. Neither side took much advantage from the wind, though it was fairly strong and steady. Playing with it Palmerston had the best of the opening half though, perhaps, not to the same extent as Clontarf had of the second half, but neither side showed the least likelihood of crossing their opponents' line, and it was a bit of luck for Palmerston that they were afforded the opportunity of scoring from a penalty kick in an easy position just at the close.

For the winners V. Kirwan was sound at full back. Wilson and F. Hussey defended well in the three-quarter line, and Smith had two or three good dashes on the wing. Russell worked hard behind the scrums, and Anderson, S. Kirwan, D. Hussey, and Hill were noticeable in a hard-working pack. For Clontarf Nowlan kicked well at full back, Miller and Freeman were the pick of the three-quarter line, and Hopkins was good at out-half. Quinn, McMahon, Carey and Roche worked hard in the pack.

With the wind and the slope of the ground in their favour Palmerston had most of the attack in the opening half. Smith had an early penalty kick at goal from in front of the posts, but did not raise the ball sufficiently to clear the opposition. A useful kick by C. Kirwan gave the side a good position and they pressed up to the line, but the handling of the backs broke down badly. A capital rush of the Palmerston forwards was equally unfruitful, the attack ending in a touch down. Some good work by Allen and Hopkins gave Clontarf a footing in Palmerston territory, and Clontarf forwards carried in the loose to the visitors' 25, but Smith dribbled back along touch, and there was a sharp attack at the home end, where, however, over-kicking spoiled. S. Kirwan headed another forward dash, but offside spoiled near the line, and once again before the interval Clontarf looked dangerous, but V. Kirwan pulled them up.

Clontarf made a stronger show in the second half with the advantage of the wind, and were several times pressing close on the Palmerston line, but they were quite unable to get through the visitors' defence. Palmerston had few attacks that seemed at all likely to end in a score; but just at the finish, after a good kick by V. Kirwan had given them a footing in the home 25, they were awarded a penalty in an easy position, and Smith kicked a goal. Result:—

Palmerston—1 penalty goal (3 points).
Clontarf—Nil.

Teams:—

Clontarf—G. S. Nowlan; W. L. Freeman, J. Miller, A. Sherlock, A. Browne; J. E. Allen, J. Hopkins; M. J. McMahon, T. P. Carey, J. Roche, S. Barrett, J. Quinn, P. J. Kavanagh, Butler, H. Healy.

Palmerston—V. E. Kirwan; J. H. Smith, J. Wilson, F. Hussey, C. N. Kirwan; R. E. Russell, J. Armstrong; C. M. Hill, S. V. Kirwan, H. E. Anderson, J. Kean, D. Hussey, J. V. Lochtie, J. Graham, T. F. Dallaghan.

Referee—Mr. C. P. Stuart.

MUNSTER TRIAL GAME.

SOUTH (7) v. NORTH (0).

Wet weather interfered with the play in this match at Cork on Saturday. In the first half M'Cormack dropped a goal and Hourihan scored a try for South. There was no scoring in the second half. Result:—

South—1 dropped goal and 1 try (7 pts.).
North—Nil.

THE MUNSTER TEAM.

The Munster team v. Leinster was chosen on Saturday subsequent to the Trial game. The team is as follows:—

Full-back, O'Connell (Constitution);
Three-quarters, J. Jagoe (U.C.C.), R. Ronan (Young Munsters), M. Murphy (Constitution), J. Favier (Constitution);
Half-backs, J. O'Neill (Dolphin) (scrum) and J. M'Connell (Constitution).
Forwards, C. J. Hanrahan (Dolphin), M. J. Bradley (Dolphin), T. Hanly (Garryowen), W. A. Nolan (Garryowen), J. Mahony (Dolphin), A. O'Halleran (Young Munsters), J. M'Namara (Garryowen) and F. Willis (Constitution).

ULSTER V. MUNSTER.

THE ULSTER TEAM.

The following have been selected to represent Ulster v. Munster at Lansdowne road on Dec. 3:—

Full-back, W. E. Crawford (Malone);
Three-quarters, T. Hewitt (Queen's University), J. B. Gardiner (North), G. V. Stephenson (Queen's University), H. W. Stephenson (United Services);
Half-backs, J. C. M'Dowell (Instonians), F. S. Hewitt (Instonians);
Forwards, T. N. Brand (North), W. F. Browne (United Services), J. Campbell (Instonians), J. Creswell (Malone), D. Cunningham (North), J. V. M'Vicker (Collegians), H. M'Vicker (Edinburgh University), J. T. Smyth (Knock).

T. A. M'Clelland (North), who is at present in Manchester, is not being asked to travel for this match.

INTERNATIONAL MATCHES AT TWICKENHAM.

The Rugby Union announces that the allocation of seats for the international matches—England v. New Zealand, England v. Wales, and England v. Ireland—has been made by the sub-committee specially appointed for the purpose.

For the New Zealand match on January 3rd the applications from the clubs far exceeded the available seating accommodation, and the committee have, in consequence, unavoidably been compelled considerably to reduce the clubs' applications, and there will be no tickets for sale to the general public.

For the Wales and Ireland matches all seats as applied for by the affiliated clubs will be allotted. For these two matches Messrs. Hays, 26 Old Bond street, W.1, and 74 Cornhill, E.C.3, London, will have the remainder for sale by the middle of December.

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE (S.C.T.) (6) v. BLACKROCK COLLEGE (S.C.T.) (0).

At Rathfarnham on Saturday St. Columba's College (S.C.T.) defeated Blackrock College (S.C.T.) by 2 tries to nil. Synge scored both tries for the winners, his first one being the result of a fine run by Rossiter.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

SCOTTISH TRIAL.

	Points.		Points.
South	19	North	6

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Gloucestershire	18	Somerset	11
Yorkshire	16	Northumberland	8
Lancashire	26	Durham	19

CLUB MATCHES.

Blackheath	15	Harlequins	6
Guy's Hospital	3	London Welsh	0
London Scottish	23	Richmond	5
Old Merchant Taylors	14	Rosslyn Park	8
Combined Services	49	St. Bart.'s	0
Cambridge Univ.	12	Un. Ser. (Portsmouth)	0
Bath	26	Bristol University	3
Bradford	8	Northern	6
Bristol	13	Clifton	3
Llanelly	10	Coventry	5
Gloucester	26	Cheltenham	0
Northampton	3	Leicester	0
Plymouth Albion	5	Pontypool	6
Aberavon	20	Newport	9
Neath	13	Swansea	13
Pill Harriers	8	Edgware	0
Old Blues	13	Old Edwardians	5
Heriotonians	9	Glasgow Acads.	8
Watsonians	23	West of Scotland	4
London University	14	Birmingham Univ.	0
Sidcup A	11	Rosslyn Park B	6
Sidcup B	16	Edgware B	6
Richmond A	23	Eastbourne College	0
Welch Regiment	9	Lancashire Fusiliers	6

NORTHERN UNION.

LANCASHIRE CUP—FINAL.

	Points.		Points.
Oldham	10	St. Helen's Rec.	0

YORKSHIRE CUP—FINAL.

Wakefield Trinity	9	Batley	8

RUGBY LEAGUE.

Bramley	3	Salford	3
Dewsbury	12	Hull K. Rovers	8
Huddersfield	15	Featherstone Rovers	9
Leigh	19	Rochdale	5
Halifax	14	Bradford Northern	0
Hull	18	Widnes	6
Hunslet	28	Keighley	0
St. Helens	12	Broughton Rangers	2
Swinton	3	Wigan	3
Barrow	3	Wigan Highfield	2

HUNTING.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

November.	Meet.	Hour.
Wednesday, 26th	Dunshaughlin	1.30
Saturday, 29th	Nine-mile Stone	1.30

THE KILDARE.

Tuesday, 25th	Kildare	11. 0
Thursday, 27th	Colbinstown Station	11. 0
Saturday, 29th	Enfield	11. 0

THE MEATH.

Monday, 24th	Addinstown	11. 0
Tuesday, 25th	Kilmoon	11. 0
Thursday, 27th	Moynalty	11. 0
Friday, 28th	Dunboyne	11. 0

TIPPERARY FOXHOUNDS.—List of Meets. November—Monday, 24th, New Inn; Tuesday, 25th, Ballingarry Bridge; Thursday, 27th, Shamrock Lodge; Saturday, 29th, Fethard. At 11 o'clock.

COUNTY LIMERICK HUNT.—Change of Meet. Monday, 24th November, Four Elms; Monday, 8th December, Elm Park. Hour, 11 o'clock.

DUNSANY HARRIERS meet Saturday, 29th November, Tara, at 12 o'clock.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

At the last meeting of the Turf Club Lieutenant-Colonel M. J. O'Malley-Keyes was elected a member.

Mr. M. G. Hartigan has purchased the yearling colt by Irishman out of Ethel H., and Mr. J. T. Rogers has leased the yearling filly by Prospector out of Bonanza, from Mr. C. Walsh.

Entries close on Wednesday next for the following event, to be run at the Baldoyle New Year Meeting, viz.—The Killester Hurdle Race of 100 sovs., weight for age, for horses that have not up to date of entry won a hurdle race or steeplechase either value 40 sovs. One mile and a half.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Bookham S'chase, Sandown Park—Eastern Prince.

Burton Handicap Hurdle, Birmingham, and December Handicap Hurdle, Leicester—Prince Sadim.

King's Norton S'chase, Birmingham—Double Chance.

Birmingham engagements, November 24 and 25—Henry B., Frills, Lukeston, Syncopate, Polizei, Bright Land, Ned Carver, Tullylost, Playful, Silver Some, The Blecks, Mark Anthony, and Montcalm.

Croydon Handicap Hurdle, Gatwick—Beyrob.

Hever Handicap Hurdle, Lingfield Park—Dudley.

Cranbourne Handicap Steeplechase, Newbury—Alcazar.

Moderate Handicap Hurdle, Newbury—Alopex.

MULLINGAR RACES,

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY).

The Course is in excellent order, and with the splendid entry a good day's sport is assured.

The first race will be run at 1.15, and the usual fast Special will leave Broadstone at 11.30 a.m., and the Curragh Special will leave Kildare at 9.45 a.m. For other Specials see Railway Advertisements.—(Advt.)

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN EASILY DEFEATS INMAN.

Inman made a very poor effort to beat Newman off a start of 3,000 in 16,000 at Piccadilly Saloon, and was beaten on Saturday by the decisive margin of 3,729 points. The last day started with Inman in a hopeless position, and this was intensified by Newman's fine form in the afternoon, when he made a break of 703, Inman totalling only 99. The best breaks at night were 94, 382, and 201 (unfinished) by Newman, and 95 by Inman. Final scores:—Newman, 16,000; Inman (rec. 3,000), 12,271.

SMITH v. DAVIS.

Smith failed in his effort to concede 7,000 start in 18,000 to Davis, the rising young Chesterfield professional, the latter winning the match at Newcastle on Saturday by 483 points. The best breaks on the last day were 230, 225, 274, 178, 144, and 126 by Smith, and 278, 195, and 253 by Davis. Final scores—Davis (rec. 7,000), 18,000; Smith, 17,517.

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Bleachers—62/9 (M.), 64/3 ... (Th.), 64/7½ (F.).
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Brunner Mond—*38/- (M.) ...
Burke Ord.—85/- (T.), *84...
Burke Pref.—76/-, (M.), ... 76/- (Th.), 77/6 (F.).
Burke Deb.—8½ (M.), 8...
Buchanan Dewar Ord.—57...
Calicos—37/1½ (Th.), 37/1...
Coats—64/- (M.), *64/1½ ... 1½d. (W.), 64/3, 1½d.
Coats Pref.—11½ (W.).
Coats B Pref.—23/9 (T.).
Consol. Gold Fields—20/7½ ...
Courtaulds—59/4½ (M.), 5... 59/9, 4½d. (Th.).
Courtaulds Pref.—18/9, 10... 18/9 (Th.), *18/10½ ...
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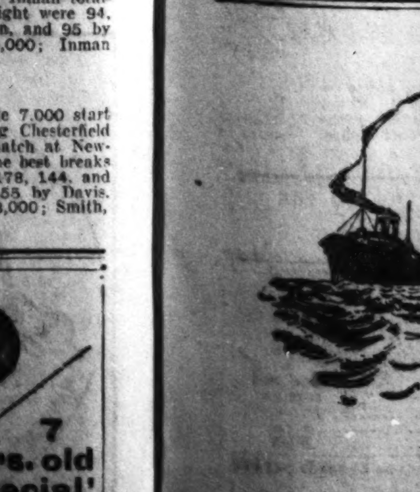
French Dunlops—*15/6 (T...
Fine Spinners—*56/3 (M.), ... x.d. (Th.).
Guinness—49⅞ (M.), 49½, ... (W.), 49⅜, ... (Th.).
Guinness Pref.—*11½ (M.), ... (Th.), *11⅛ (F.).
Hibernian Fire—5/- (Th.), ...
Imperial Tobacco—84/7½ ... (T.), 84/1½, 3d., 4½d. ... 7½d., 6d. (Th.), 84/- ...
Irish-Amer. Oil Pref.—19/6 ...
Imperial Tobacco, Canada—...
Jameson Deb.—7½ (M.)
Jute Industries Ord.—5/- (...
Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/4½ ... (Th.).
Lever 8 p.c. Pref.—21/4½ ...
Lever 20 p.c. Pref. Ord.—... (Th.).
Marconi—31/9 (T.), 32/6, 3... *32/-, 1½d., 3d. (F.).
Mooney (J. G.) Ord.—5½ ...
Metropole Hotels—12/6b, 15...
Maypole Dairy Def.—5/7½ ...
Mexican Eagle Ord.—17/9 ...
Power Pref.—*19/- (W.), 19...
Parent Tyre Def.—*43/- (M.) ... 43/9a (F.).
Parent Tyre Pref.—15/- (W...
Pim Pref.—67/6 (Th.).
Radio Corp. Pref.—10½, ... (W.), 9 (Th.), 8½, ...
Radio Coy's Pref.—10½, ... (F.).
Switzer Ord.—79/-b (F.).
Sewing Cotton—59/9 (M.), ... 60/4½b, 60/6a (F.).
Sewing Cotton Pref.—19/4½ ...
Shells—85/6 (Th.).
Thom Pref.—47/6 (W.), 47/...
Vickers—11/7½, 6d. (M.), 1... (F.).
Walpole Pref.—76/3 (Th.). c—Cash. b—Bid.

BELFAS...

Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., ...
Belfast Corporation 6½ p.c. ...
Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c. ...
Belfast Harbour Commission...
Belfast Water Commission... 77½ (F.).
Dublin Corporation 3½ p.c., ...
Northern Bank A—5½ (M.), ...
Northern Bank B—2½ (F.) ...
Hibernian Bank—7½ ...
Union of Australia Bank—1...
Union of Australia Bank Le...
Lloyds Bank—61/3 (Th.).
Westminster Bank—18 (Th.) ...
Belfast and Co. Down Ra... 61 (Th.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p...
Great Northern Railway 4 p...
Great Northern Railway Sto...
Belfast Rope Work—96 (F.) ...
Brookfield Linen Co.—10½ ...
Burmah Oil—£5 5/8½ (W.).
Coats—64/1½, 64/3 (W.).
Courtaulds—59/6 (F.).
Cowan Ord.—4⅛a. (F.).
Dunville and Co.—12½, 12 (... 12½ (Th.).
Dunlop Rubber—10/3 (M.), 1... 10/6 (F.).
Dunlop C Pref.—23/3 (F.).
Courtaulds—59/3 (M.).
Hughes Ord.—39/- (F.).
Imperial Tobacco—84/- (W.), ...
Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/3, 2...
Liddell and Co. 5 p.c. Pref.—...
Maypole Deferred—5/9 (Th.) ...
Robertson, Ledlie Ferguson ... Pref.—7½ (T.).
Robinson and Cleaver 5 p... 15/- (F.).
Shell Transport—84/7½ (M.) ...
Swedish Match "B"—9⅜ (...
Wall Paper Manufacturers ...
White, Tomkins and Courage ...
York St. Flax Spinning Co. Or... 28 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. ... 82 (T.), 82 (Th.). (a.—Asked; b...

BIRMINGHAM M... MARK...

Friday's closing prices:—A... R. Pref., 9/1½; do. Prefd. ... Deb., 89; Birmingham Smal... mel Bros., 36/3; Bowden, ... Stamping, 20/-; Brooks (J. ... Bros., 29/6; Components, ... 34/1½ x.d.; Crossley Motors ... 40/-; Enfield Cycle, 24/6; ... Motors, 5/9; Halford Cycle, ... 4/3; Harper Bean, 2d.; H... Humber, 30/-; do. Pref., ... 15/6; Leyland Motor, 4/6; ... Maudslay, 6/6; Napier O... 19/3; New Hudson, 15/9; ... Rolls-Royce, 29/6; Rovers, ... worth, 9/9; do. Pref., 61/6; ... do. Pref., 11/-; do. 8 p... Radiators, 12/-; Singer and ... and Sons Defd. Ord., 1/3; Sm... Standard Motor, 50/-; Star ... Stevens (A. J.), 24/9; Strak... 8/9; do. Pref., 13/6; Trium... (C. A.) and Co. Prefd., 2/3 ... Vulcan Motor, 2/9; Wolseley ... Deb., 70½; Dunlop Rubber, ... 23/10½; do. B Pref., 24/3; ... Parent Tyre Ord., 22/-; do... Deferred, 45/3; Stepney Tyr... ment, 4/3



SELECTIONS FOR BIRMINGHAM MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Golden Fleece.	Derravaragh.	Red Splash.	Radiant River.	Socrates.	Devonport.
Westminster Gazette	Helsdelite.	Bruff Battle.	Red Splash; if ab., Ardeen.	Ballyalton.	Fortissimo.	Cindrally; if ab., Snapper.
Daily News	Golden Fleece.	Bruff Battle.	Ardeen.	Envoy.	Carlach.*	Snapper.
Daily Express	Golden Fleece.	Wee Mon, next best.	Turkey Buzzard.*	Envoy; if ab., Coulthwaite's best.	Red Cyder.	Knockcroghery II.; if ab., Cindrally.
Daily Mirror	Golden Fleece.	False Report.	Ardeen.	Battle Cruiser.	Carlach.	Snapper.
Daily Graphic	Golden Fleece.*	False Report.	Red Splash.	Radiant River.	Cloth of Gold.	Blarnor.
Star	Munster Marine.	Bruff Battle; Boyne Water, a place.	Fly Mask.	Radiant River.*	Red Cyder; Fortissimo, a place.	Knockcroghery II.
Evening News	Henry B.*	Bachelor's Bevel.	Ardeen.	Rosemary.*	Carlach.	Hackdene.
Evening Standard	Newtown Wonder.	Repaid.	Ardeen.	Envoy.	Glen Galante.	Snapper.
Daily Mail	Golden Fleece.	False Report.	Good Points.	Ballyalton.	Red Cyder.	Snapper.
Times						

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a full report of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:—

DUBLIN.

National Loan—92 (M.), 92¼, ½ (T.), 92¼, *¼ (W.), 92¼ (Th.), 92¼, ¼ (F.).
Do. Deed—91¼ (T.), 92¼b, 92¼a (W.), 92 (Th.)
Compensation Stock—*90 (M.), 90 (F.).
Guar. Land—56½ (M.).
2¾ p.c. Land Act Stock—*60½ (W.).
3 p.c. Land Act Stock—66½ (Th.).
Belfast Stock, 1935—84½ (F.).
Dublin Port 6 p.c. Mortgage—97½ (Th.).
Bank of Ireland—268c (M.), 268b (T.), 270c (W.), 271c (Th.), 271c (F.).
Hibernian Bank—7½ (M.), 7⅛c, ⅛ (Th.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—6¾ (M.), 6⅞ (T.), 6⅞ (W.), *6⅞ (Th.).
National Bank—20¼ (M.), 20¼ (T.), 20¼ (W.), 20¼ (Th.), 20¼ (F.).
Royal Bank—13¾ (W.), 13¾ (F.).
Royal Bank of Scotland—284¼ (W.).
Co. Down 4 p.c. Pref.—65½a (F.).
Dublin S.-E. Ord.—17¼ (T.), 17¾ (W.), 17¼ (Th.), 17¼ (F.).
Do. Pref.—42b, 43a (T.), *43 (W.).
Do. B Deb.—55 (W.), 55¼ (Th.).
Great Northern Ord.—58 (W.), *58 (Th.), 57⅞ (F.).
Do. Pref.—57⅞ (M.), 57⅞ (T.), 57⅞ (W.), 57 (Th.), 57¼ (F.).
Do. Guar.—59 (M.), 58¾ (T.), 59½ (W.), *59½ (F.).
Do. Deb.—70 (W.).
Great Southern and Western—39 (M.) (quotation withdrawn).
Do. Pref.—51b, 54a (M.), (quotation withdrawn).
Do Deb.—68½, 8 (M.) (quotation withdrawn).
Great Southern Ord.—38, 7½ (T), 37½ (W.), 37¼, ½ (Th.), 37½ (F.).
Do. Pref.—52 (T.), 51 (Th.)
Do. Guar.—57½ (W.), 57½ (F.).
Do. Deb.—65 (W.), 65 (Th.), 66 (F.).
Midland G.W. Ord.—(Quotation withdrawn).
Do. 4 p.c. Deb.—*63½ (M.) (quotation withdrawn).
Great Western (Eng.)—110⅞ (M.).
London N.-E. Pref. Ord.—30⅛ (M.).
Do. Def. Ord.—82 (M.).
Do. 2nd Pref.—80⅞ (M).
London Mid. and Scot. 4 p.c. Pref.—81⅛ (F.).
Southern (Eng.) Pref. Ord.—83½ (M.).
(Note—All Great Southern and Western, Cork and Bandon, and Midland Great Western Stocks were withdrawn on Tuesday, and are now represented by Great Southern quotations.)

Alliance Gas—6⅛ (W.).
Arnott Ord.—85/-b, 90/-a (F.).
City Dublin Steam Ord.—160b, 175a (T).
City Dublin Steam Pref.—125a (T.).
Bleachers—62/9 (M.), 64/3, 9d. (W.), 65/3, *5/- (Th.), 64/7½ (F.)
Bradford Dyers—83/6 (M.), 84/6 (W.), 85/3, 4/3 (Th)
British-American Tobacco—*110/6 (M.), *110/3 (T.).
Brunner Mond—*38/- (M.).
Burke Ord.—85/- (T.), *84/- (W.), 84/- (Th.).
Burke Pref.—76/-, (M.), 76/- (T.), *77/6 (W.), 76/- (Th.), 77/6 (F.).
Burke Deb.—8⅛ (M,). 8⅞ (T.).
Buchanan Dewar Ord.—57/- (Th.).
Calicos—37/1½ (Th.), 37/1½ (F.).
Coats—64/- (M.), *64/1½, 4½d. (T.), 64/3, *4/-, 1½d. (W.), 64/3, 1½d., 3d. (Th.), 64/3 (F.).
Coats Pref.—11⅛ (W.).
Coats B Pref.—23/9 (T.).
Consol. Gold Fields—20/7½ (Th.).
Courtaulds—59/4½ (M.), 59/6 (T.), 59/4½ (W.), 59/9, 4½d. (Th.).
Courtaulds Pref.—18/9, 10½d. (M.), *18/9 (W.), 18/9 (Th.), *18/10½ (F.).
Dublin Distillers—27/- (M.), *27/-c (T.), 25/- (Th.), 25/- (F.).
Dublin Distillers Pref.—77/6 (F.).
Dublin Trams—6¾ (M.), 6¾ (T.), 6⅞ (W.), 6⅞ (Th.).
Dublin Tram Pref.—9⅛ (M.), *9¼ (W.), *9¼c (F.)
Drummond Pref.—*52/6 (M.).
Dunlops—10/6, 7½d. (M.), 10/6 (T.), 10/6 (W.), *10/4½, 6d. (Th.), 10/5 (F.).
French Dunlops—*15/6 (T.).
Fine Spinners—*56/3 (M.), *56/9 (W.), 56/9, 6d. x.d. (Th.).
Guinness—49⅛ (M.), 49¼, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ⅛ (T.), 49⅞ (W.), 49⅞, ⅛ (Th.), 49⅞, ⅛, ⅛ (F.).
Guinness Pref.—*11⅞ (M.), 11⅛c, ⅞ (W.), 11⅛ (Th.), *11⅛ (F.).
Hibernian Fire—5/- (Th.), 4/9 (F.).
Imperial Tobacco—83/7½, 9d. (M.), *83/10½ (T.), 84/1½, 3d., 4½d. *9d. (W.), 84/7½, 6d., 7½d., 6d. (Th.), 84/- (F.).
Irish-Amer. Oil Pref.—19/6 (T.).
Imperial Tobacco, Canada—28/1½ (M.)
Jameson Deb.—7½ (M.)
Jute Industries Ord.—7/- (Th.).
Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/4½ (M.), 21/3 (T.), 21/6 (Th.).
Lever 8 p.c. Pref.—21/4½ (M.), *21/9 (F.).
Lever 20 p.c. Pref. Ord.—10/10½ (T.), 11/1½ (Th.).
Marconi—31/9 (T.), 32/6, 3d. (W.), 32/4½ (Th.), *32/-, 1½d., 3d. (F.).
Mooney (J. G.) Ord.—5¼ (T.).
Metropole Hotels—12/6b, 15/-a (F.).
Maypole Dairy Def.—5/7½ (W.).
Mexican Eagle Ord.—17/9 (Th.).
Power Pref.—*19/- (W.), 19/3 (Th.).
Parent Tyre Def.—*43/- (M.), 43/6b, 44/-a (Th.), 43/9a (F.).
Parent Tyre Pref.—15/- (W.), 14/6b, 14/9a (F.).
Pim Pref.—67/6 (Th.).
Radio Corp. Pref.—10½, ⅛ (W.), 10½ (Th.), 10⅛ (W.), 9 (Th.), 8¾, ⅛ (F.).
Radio Coy's Pref.—10½, ⅛ (W.), 10½ (Th.), 10⅛ (F.).
Switzer Ord.—79/-b (F.).
Sewing Cotton—59/9 (M.), 60/6, 4½d. (Th.), 60/4½b, 60/6a (F.).
Sewing Cotton Pref.—19/4½ (M.).
Shells—85/6 (Th.).
Thom Pref.—47/6 (W.), 47/6 (Th.).
Vickers—11/7½, 6d. (M.), 11/6, *9d. (Th.), 11/9 (F.).
Walpole Pref.—76/3 (Th.).
c—Cash. b—Bid. a—Asked.

BELFAST.

Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1940—77 (M.).
Belfast Corporation 6½ p.c. Mortgages—102½ (W.).
Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1935—82 (F.).
Belfast Harbour Commissioners 3½ p.c.—72½ (F.).
Belfast Water Commissioners 3½ p.c., 1938—77½ (F.).
Dublin Corporation 3½ p.c., 1944—67½b, (F.).
Northern Bank A—5¼ (M.), 5¼, 5⅛ (T.), 5¾ (Th.).
Northern Bank B—2⅛ (F.)
Hibernian Bank—7⅛ (Th.).
Union of Australia Bank—14⅞ (F.).
Union of Australia Bank Letters—57/6 (M.).
Lloyds Bank—61/3 (Th.).
Westminster Bank—18 (Th.).
Belfast and Co. Down Railway Ord.—60 (M.), 61 (Th.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p.c. Pref.—58 (M.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p.c. Deb.—70 (T.).
Great Northern Railway Stock—58 (Th.).
Belfast Rope Work—96 (F.).
Brookfield Linen Co.—10½ (T.), 10½ (W.).
Burmah Oil—£5 5/8½ (W.).
Coats—64/1½, 64/3 (W.).
Courtaulds—59/6 (F.).
Cowan Ord.—4⅛a. (F.).
Dunville and Co.—12¼, 12 (M.), 12 (T.), 12 (W.), 12¼ (Th.).
Dunlop Rubber—10/3 (M.), 10/6 (W.), 10/7½(Th.), 10/6 (F.).
Dunlop C Pref.—23/3 (F.).
Courtaulds—59/3 (M.).
Hughes Ord.—39/- (F.).
Imperial Tobacco—84/- (W.), 84/6 (Th.), 84/- (F.).
Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/3, 21/6 (M.), 21/4½ (W.).
Liddell and Co. 5 p.c. Pref.—7½ (T.).
Maypole Deferred—5/9 (Th.).
Robertson, Ledlie Ferguson and Co. 6 p.c. Part. Pref.—7½ (T.).
Robinson and Cleaver 5 p.c. Pref.—15/7½ (W.), 15/- (F.).
Shell Transport—84/7½ (M.).
Swedish Match "B"—9⅛ (Th.).
Wall Paper Manufacturers Deferred—24/1½ (W.).
White, Tomkins and Courage Ord.—25/6, 26/- (Th.)
York St. Flax Spinning Co. Ord.—27½ (M.), 28 (T.), 28 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 4½ p.c. Deb.—82 (M.), 82 (T.), 82 (Th.).
(a.—Asked; b.—Bid.)

BIRMINGHAM MOTOR SHARE MARKET.

Friday's closing prices:—Austin Ord., 6/1½; do. B. Pref., 9/1½; do. Prefd. 10 p.c., 5/6; do. 4th Deb., 89; Birmingham Small Arms, 13/1½; Bluemel Bros., 36/3; Bowden Brake, 8/3; Brettis Stamping, 20/-; Brooks (J. B.), 43/- x.d.; Calcott Bros., 29/6; Components, 4/-; Coventry Chain, 34/1½ x.d.; Crossley Motors, 7/1½; Dennis Bros., 40/-; Enfield Cycle, 24/6; Fodens, 19/9; Guy Motors, 5/9; Halford Cycle, 75/-; Halley's Motor, 4/3; Harper Bean, 2d.; Hughes Johnson, 20/6; Humber, 30/-; do. Pref., 17/10½; James Cycle, 15/6; Leyland Motor, 4/6; Lucas (Jos.), 53/6; Maudslay, 6/6; Napier Ord., 24/-; do. Pref., 19/3; New Hudson, 15/9; Riley (Coventry), 9/3; Rolls-Royce, 29/6; Rovers, 12/7½; Rudge Whitworth, 9/9; do. Pref., 61/6; S.T.D. Motors, 5/1½; do. Pref., 11/-; do. 8 p.c. Notes, 95; Sereck Radiators, 12/-; Singer and Co., 34/9; Smith (S.) and Sons Defd.-Ord. 1/3; Smith Stamping, 23/10½; Standard Motor, 56/-; Star Engineering, 4/4½; Stevens (A. J.), 24/9; Straker Squire, 3d.; Swift, 8/9; do. Pref., 13/6; Triumph, 29/7½; Vandervell (C. A.) and Co. Prefd., 2/3 Vauxhall Motor, 6/3; Vulcan Motor, 2/9; Wolseley Motor Pref., 3/3; do. Deb., 70½; Dunlop Rubber, 10/6; do. A Pref., 23/10½; do. B Pref., 24/3; Leyland Rubber, 26/6; Parent Tyre Ord., 22/-; do. Pref., 14/10½; do. Deferred, 43/3; Stepney Tyres, 9/-; Tyre Investment, 4/3

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

FAVOURABLE EXCHANGES.

There was the usual Saturday ease in Lombard street. Requirements of borrowers were on a small scale, and rates were accordingly lowered in order to find employment for surplus funds. Loans over the week-end were offered at 2¾ down to 2 per cent., renewals for either a day or a week going on at the former figure. Business in the discount market was quiet, being barley sufficient to test rates, which were quoted nominally unchanged. Fine two and three months' bills were called 3 11/16-3¾ per cent., and the new Treasuries were offered at 3⅝ per cent.

Bank Rate (Discount changed July 5, 1923), 4%
60 days (fine) 3 11/16 3¾%
3 months .... 3 11/16 3¾% | Trade 4 4½%
4 months .... 3 13/16% | 4¼ 4½%
6 months .... 3⅞ 4% | 4½ 5%
Loans to brokers day-to-day 2¼ 2¾%
for a week 2¾%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call 2%
Discount houses, at call 2%
at notice 2¼%

Silver improved 1-16d. on Eastern buying, coupled with smaller offerings, to 33½d. per ounce for spot and 33⅜d. for forward delivery.

Movements in the Foreign Exchanges were mostly favourable. Sterling was again higher at 4.63⅝ dollars, while French and Belgian francs were supported, and closed at a fair appreciation. Italian lire, however, were not quite so good at 106.80 and Dutch florins weakened with the dollar. Among South American exchanges, Buenos Ayres hardened to 44 7-16d.-44 11-16d., but Rio was easier at 5 11-16d.-6d. Eastern rates without alteration. The following are closing quotations:—

—	November 22.		November 21.		Normal Rate
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½
Amsterdam	11.52¼	11.52¾	11.52⅛	11.53	12.10
B. Ayres	44⅝	44⅞	44¾	44⅞	47.58
Barcelona	33.90	33.93	33.94	33.97	25.22
Berlin	19.47½	billions	19.45	billions	20.40
Bombay	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	2/0
Brussels	95.05	95.15	95.25	95.30	25.22½
Calcutta	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	2/0
Christiania	31.21	31.24	31.22	31.27	18.16
Copenhagen	26.27	26.30	26.30	26.35	18.16
Czecho-Slov	153⅞	154⅛	154⅛	154⅜	—
Finland	184	184⅝	183½	184⅝	25.22½
Greece	260	263	257	263	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/4⅜	2/4⅞	2/4⅜	2/4⅞	—
Hungary	345,000		345,000		—
Italy	106.75	106.85	106.50	106.60	25.22½
Lisbon	2½	2½	2½	2½	53⅛d.
Madrid	33.90	33.92	33.92	33.96	25.22½
Mexico	2/1	sellers.	2/1	sellers	24½d.
Montreal	4.63½	4.63¾	4.63¼	4.63¾	4.86
Montevideo	50⅝	51⅛	50⅝	51⅛	51d.
New York	4.63⅛	4.63⅝	4.63	4.63⅜	4.86
Paris	87.12	87.45	87.20	87.85	25.22
Poland	23.95	24.15	23.95	24.15	25.22½
RiodeJan.	5½	6	5½	6	16d.
Roumania	8.80	8.85	8.85	9.00	—
Shanghai	3/3¾	3/3¾	3/3¾	3/3¾	—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4⅛
Stockholm	17.25	17.27	17.24	17.26	18.15
Switzerland	24.00	24.02	23.98	24.02	25.22
Valparaiso	39.90		39.90		13.33
Vienna	330,000		328,000		—
Yokohama	1/7⅞	1/7⅞	1/7⅞	1/7⅞	4.5

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Auckland (City of) (fully paid), 99½-100½. Ayrshire Electricity 4½ p.c. (£46 paid), ½ dis.-par. Bradford Corporation 4½ p.c., 1940-50 (£19 paid), ¼-½ prem. Brisbane Tramways Trust 5½ p.c., 1944-54 (fully paid), 99½-100½. Buenos Ayres Western Railway 5 p.c. Notes (£70 paid), 1¼-2 prem. Bukit Tupah Rubber (12/6 paid), 2/-3/- prem. Consett Iron 6 p.c. Debs., 1½-2 prem. County of London Electric 5½ p.c. Notes (fully paid), 100½-¼. Crittall Manufacturing 8 p.c. Pref. (10/- paid), 2/3-2/9 prem. German 7 p.c. (£30 paid), 6-½ prem. Gillette Razor, 62-3. Hide and Co. Ord. (1/-), 1/9-2/-; do. Pref. (6/- paid), 2d.-9d. prem. Leicester Corporation 4½ p.c. (£5 paid), ⅛-⅜ prem. Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board 5 p.c. (£63 paid), par-⅛ prem. Mid-European Corporation (£7½ paid), 7½-½. National Cotton Printing Works 8 p.c. 1st Debs. (fully paid), 99½-100½. Queensland 5 p.c., 1940-60 (£57½ paid), 4½-½ prem. Spillers Milling 5½ p.c. Notes (£10 paid), 1¼-½ prem. South Africa 5 p.c. (£5 paid), 1940-60, 1⅛-1½ prem. Southern Railway Pref., 1⅛-1⅜ prem. Sudan 4 p.c. (£5 paid), 1½-2 prem. Walker (Peter) 8 p.c. Pref., 20/-21/-.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

CHINESE ENGINEERING AND MINING.—Directors recommend balance dividend of 10 per cent., free of tax (making a total dividend of 20 per cent., free of tax), in respect of the year ended June 30th, 1924.

CLEVELAND TRUST.—Dividend at rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the Ord. Shares.

DOMINION BANK.—Usual dividend of 3 per cent. for the quarter ending December 31st, together with a bonus of 1 per cent., making a total for the current year of 13 per cent.

HALLS OXFORD BREWERY.—Dividend of 5 per cent. and bonus of 5 per cent, free of tax, on Ord.

HELYS.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. per annum for half-year on Ord., less tax.

HINGURUGAMA TEA AND RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent., less tax.

INGLIS TEA.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, on Ord.

ILFORD, LTD.—Dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord. share capital for the year.

J. AND E. HALL.—Dividend of 6 per cent., less tax, on Ord. shares.

LLOYDS PACKING WAREHOUSES.—Final dividend on Ord. shares of 5 per cent., making 10 per cent. for the year; also a bonus of 5 per cent. for the year.

MARSTON, THOMPSON AND EVERSHED.—Interim dividend at rate of 15 per cent. per annum, free of tax, on Ord. for half-year.

PATONS AND BALDWINS.—Interim dividend of 6d. per share, free of tax, on Ord.

PARKES CHEMISTS.—Interim dividend on Ord. shares for half-year ended August 31st at 5 per cent. per annum, less tax.

SOUTHERN INDIA TEA ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 20 per cent., less tax, on Ord.

SIMO RUBBER ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

TADCASTER TOWER BREWERY.—Dividend of 7 per cent. and bonus of 2 per cent., on Ord.

THEATRE ROYAL, DRURY LANE.—The profit for the year ended June 30th amounted to £31,316, and, after deducting fixed charges, etc., there remained £13,887, and £14,103 was brought in. Deducting cost of productions, £20,305, there was left carried forward £7,685.

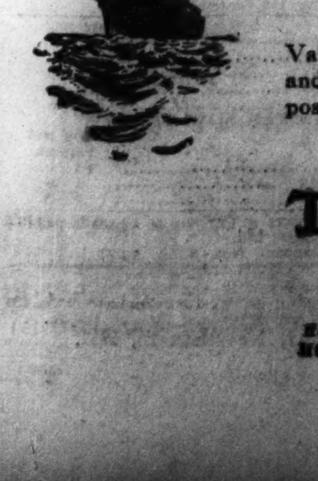
USHERS WILTSHIRE BREWERY.—Dividend of 6 per cent. and bonus of 5 per cent., less tax, on Ord.

IRISH FAIR.

OLDCASTLE (CO. MEATH). — Average-sized cattle fair, composed chiefly of shorthorn cross-bred stores, with some lots of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford crosses. Well-conditioned stock met a good demand at increased rates. The small show of fat beasts were in slow request. Springers and milch cows sold well at late prices. Only a small number of sheep were on offer. Calves—Under six months old, £2 10/- to £4 15/-, average £3 10/-. Store Cattle—Over six and not exceeding twelve months, 1st class £9 10/- to £11, average £10 10/-; 2nd class £7 to £9, average £8 5/-. One year old and under two years, 1st class £13 to £16 10/-, average £15 15/-, live weight average 40/- per cwt.; 2nd class £12 to £14 10/-, average £13 10/-, live weight average 38/-. Two years old and under three years, 1st class £20 10/- to £22, average £21, live weight average 42/-; 2nd class £15 10/- to £19, average £17 10/-, live weight average 40/-. Fat cattle—Two years old and under three years—2nd class £19 to £22 10/-, average £21, live weight average 42/-; three years old and over, 1st class £23 to £25, average £24, live weight average 43/-; 2nd class £19 10/- to £23, average £22, live weight average 41/-. Cows and bulls—2nd class £13 10/- to £22, average £18 10/-, live weight average 35/-. Springers (cows and heifers)—1st class £31; 2nd class £19 10/- to £26, average £23 10/-. Milch cows (down calved)—1st class £29; 2nd class £17 10/- to £24, average £22. Lambs (under twelve months old)—Long wools 57/- to 65/-, average 62/-. Fat sheep—Two years old and over, long wools 75/- to 90/-, average 80/-.

DUNGANNON.—Large supplies, with good demand in all departments. Beef and milk sections scarce. Quotations:—Beef, best quality, 40/- to 46/- per cwt.; springing cows, £29 to £31 10/-; second class, £23 to £27 10/-; milch cows, £24 to £29; second class, £18 to £23 10/-; springing heifers, £17 to £20 10/-; three-year-old heifers and bullocks, £18 to £22 10/-; two-year-olds, £16 to £17 10/-; six-quarter-olds, £13 to £14 10/-; year-olds, £8 to £9 10/-; weanling calves, £3 10/- to £5; dropped calves, 20/- to 27/6; strippers, £12 10/- to £15; old cows, £7 to £9 10/-; brood sows, £12 10/- to £15 10/-; young pigs, 22/- to 37/6.

THE FRENCH CUSTOMS TARIFF.—The French Minister of Commerce yesterday tabled a bill providing for a modification of the Customs duties on 350 articles. Cloths and foodstuffs are not affected. The measure is intended to harmonise the French Customs tariff with that of countries, with whom negotiations are at present pending or contemplated.



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FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

CHARGOLA TEA.

With reference to the payment to be made on 29th November of an interim dividend of 7½ per cent. on the Ordinary Shares of the Chargola Tea Association, being the equivalent of 15 per cent. on the old capital, the directors wish to state that it is not their intention to pay another interim dividend, but to make the final distribution when the accounts are closed in June next. The season, add the directors, has not been a good one owing to climatic conditions, and the crop will be considerably less than that of last year. The figures to 15th November were 1,280,000 lbs., as against 1,524,000 lbs. at the same date last year. For the previous year a second interim payment of 7½ per cent. was made. In July last the Ordinary capital was doubled by a bonus issue.

THE OUTLOOK.

Many small holders of 5½ per cent. Exchequer Bonds have written to us (*Sunday Times*) expressing their intention of taking the cash at the due date and reinvesting in something that will give them more than 4½ per cent. obtainable on Conversion Stock. It should be clearly understood that in seeking for a higher rate of interest they are accepting increased risk, while by taking the 4½ per cent. Conversion Stock they would have a perfectly safe investment, with every prospect of appreciating to par. To obtain 5½ per cent. it is necessary to go outside the range of Trustee Stocks altogether. Even on high-class Industrial Debentures, as the big response to the Lewis's issue showed, 5¼ per cent. is considered a good return, and those who look for more must fall back upon Industrial Preference Shares, many of which yield 6 per cent. to 7 per cent. with reasonable security. Companies engaged in electrical construction work are understood to be well supplied with orders, though there is keen competition with foreign firms. While most of these have appreciated lately, Brush Electrics seem to have been overlooked. At 23s. the yield is about 8¾ per cent. on the basis of the 10 per cent. dividend which has been paid for each of the last two years, previous to which the rate was 15 per cent. for three years in succession.

BREWERY SHARES.

The brewery market has been again stimulated by the good showing made by several dividends and annual reports. Benskins have risen to 28s. 6d. on the dividend of 12½ per cent., which compares with 7½ per cent. net a year ago. Several dividend announcements shortly due are likely to show almost similar increases, as the state of the "trade" at present is described as very prosperous (says *The Investor's Guardian*). City of London have almost touched 70s., aided by bonus talk, but there are also rumours of the concern being absorbed by Watney Combe Reid, a not improbable contingency. Holders need be in no hurry to take profits. Watney Combe Deferred, recommended at 186 in these notes on 8th November, have risen to 196, and should still be held. It is now getting rather difficult to seek out fresh bargains in the brewery market, as the combing process has been thoroughly done, but yields of 8 per cent. to 10 per cent. are still obtainable on some of the leading shares, and no early set-back to brewing prosperity is in sight. Ind Coope, while still under 50s., return over 8 per cent., and carry a final dividend, probably 12½ per cent., payable in December, making 20 per cent. for the year ended September last, the same as a year ago. The company now has good reserve funds, and, as nearly 30 per cent. was earned for 1922-23, it should not be long before a more liberal dividend policy becomes possible. Peter Walker Ordinary at 19s. 3d. cum div. yield 9¾ per cent. and look an attractive low-priced share.

TRAMWAY TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Official returns of thirty-four of the principal tramway undertakings in the United Kingdom, as published by "The Tramway and Railway World," for the week ended November 8, give total receipts of £337,861, or £6,337 more than in the corresponding week of last year. The total length of track included in the returns was 1,948 miles. Receipts this year were at the rate of £173 8s. 9d. per mile of single track, and last year at the rate of £170 3s. 9d., thus showing an increase for the week of £3 5s. per mile open.

TEA SHARES.

Denton's "Review of Tea and Tea Shares" for November has just been issued. It contains some very interesting information with regard to the position and prospects of tea. It also mentions a few tea shares which Denton's consider are some of the best purchases in this market.—(28 Austin Friars, London, E.C. 2.)

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORTS.

SATURDAY.

Wind and Weather—W.N.W. wind, light breeze; overcast and showery.

Coastwise Arrivals—Slievemore South Stack, from Holyhead, with goods; Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with goods; Puma, from Glasgow, with goods; Olive, from Heysham, with goods; Carnalea, from London, with cement; Ashfield, Beechfield, from Partington, with coals; Cairngorm, from Ayr, with coals; St. Barchan, from Glasgow, with coals; Thelma, Finola, from Garston, with coals.

Foreign Departure—Possidon, of Athens, 2,377 tons register, for Cardiff, light.

Coastwise Departures—Slieve Gallion, Slievemore, for Holyhead, with goods; Puma, for Glasgow, with goods; Olive, for Heysham, with goods; Lady Cloe, for London, with goods; Lady Louth, for Liverpool and Birkenhead, with live stock and goods; Clareisland, for London, with porter; Clarecastle, for Manchester, with porter; Cheviot, for Cairnlough, light; Plasma, Sarah Brough, for Trevor, light; Wythburn, for Whitehaven, light; St. Mungo, Drumlough, for Garston, light; Cornelian, for Ayr, light; Torpoint, for Birkenhead, light; Isabeletta, for Partington, light.

SUNDAY.

Wind and Weather—S.W. wind, fresh breeze; dull and overcast.

Foreign Arrival—Stor, of Hamburg, 348 tons register, from Hamburg via Cork, with a general cargo; discharging at Transit Shed, Custom House quay.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Limerick, from Liverpool, with goods; Lady Patricia, from London, with goods; Tiger, from Glasgow, with goods; Brier, from Heysham, with goods; Patricia, from Cardiff, with goods; Gracehill, from Maryport, with coals; Glenageary, from Partington, with coals; Felspar, Prase, from Glasgow, with coals; Topaz, from Ayr, with coals; Mayflower, Aquilla, from Garston, with coals.

Foreign Departure—Lord Londonderry, of Belfast, 3,630 tons register, for Suez and Aden, via Barry.

Coastwise Departures—Tioga, for Limerick, with oil; St. Barchan, for Widnes, light; St. Fintan, for Garston, light; Glencullen, for Partington, light; Cairngorm, for Penarth, light; Ashfield for Piel, light.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ADRIATIC, for Liverpool, left New York 22.
AMATONGA, from the Clyde, arrived Gibraltar 22.
ARLANZA, from Southampton, arrived Buenos Ayres 21
ASSAYE, from Southampton, arrived Alexandria 21.
ATHENIA, for Glasgow, left Quebec 22.
AUTOMEDON, from Liverpool, arrived Penang 21.
BALTIC, for New York, left Queenstown 23.
BENDORAN, Portland (Oregon) for the U.K. arrived Norfolk 20.
BERENGARIA, from Southampton, arrived New York 21.
CARONIA, for New York, left Liverpool 22.
CELTIC, from New York, arrived Queenstown, and left for Liverpool 23.
CITY OF EXETER, Calcutta for London, left Port Said 22.
CLAN MACBRAYNE, from Liverpool, arr. Fochin 22.
COLLEGIAN, for London, left Port Sudan 21.
COLONIAN Avonmouth for Montreal, arrived Quebec 21.
COLUMBIA, from New York, arrived Moville 23.
DEMERARA, Liverpool for Buenos Ayres, arrived Rio de Janeiro 21.
DESNA, for Liverpool, left Buenos Ayres 21.
DREGHTBLIJK, for Vancouver, left Gravesend 21.
EBANI, Sapel for Liverpool, called Teneriffe 19.
ELMINA, Duala for Liverpool, called Dakar 20.
EURIPIDES, from London, arrived Sydney 21.
GAIRTYMORE, for the Clyde, left Halifax 21.
GRACIA, for Boston, left Liverpool 22.
GUILDFORD CASTLE, for London, left Port Sudan 21.
HEREFORDSHIRE, from Rangoon, arr. Gravesend 22.
HERENTIA, London for Montreal, arrived Quebec 21.
HILDEBRAND, Liverpool for Manaos, arr. Leixoes 21.
HOMERIC, for Southampton, left New York 22.
HUANCHACO, from London, arrived Talcahuano 21.
KAIRANGA, from Hull, arrived Wellington 20.
KALYAN, for Yokohama, left Gravesend 21.
KEEMUN, for Liverpool, left Penang 21.
KHIVA, from London, arrived Penang 21.
KYBER, for London, left Calcutta 22.
LAGARTO, from the Clyde, arrived Valparaiso 21.
LEVIATHAN, from New York, arrived Southampton 21.
LLANSTEPHAN CASTLE, for London, left Las Palmas 21.
MANTUA, from London, arrived Shimonoseki 21.
MARENGO, from Hull, arrived New York 20.
MARLOCH, for Glasgow, left Quebec 21.
MARYLAND, from London, arrived Boston 21.
MATAKANA, for London, left Gibraltar 21.
MINNEDOSA, from Montreal, arrived Southampton 22.
MISSISSIPPI, from New York, arrive Gravesend 21.
MOLDAVIA, for Sydney, left Gravesend 21.
MONTCALM, for Liverpool, left Quebec 22.
MONGOLIAN PRINCE, for Liverpool, left Norfolk 20
MONTGOMERYSHIRE, from Southampton, arrived Galveston 21.
MONT LAURIER, from Quebec, arrived Liverpool 23.
MONTROSE, Liverpool for Montreal, arrived Quebec 21
NEW TEXAS, for Leith, left Norfolk 20.
NINIAN, from Manchester, arrived Savannah 21.
OAK BRANCH, for Liverpool, left Valparaiso 21.
OROYA, from Liverpool, arrived Mollendo 22.
PARABOA, from Manchester, arrived Melbourne 21.
PORT CURTIS, from London, arrived New York 22.
REGINA, for Halifax, left Liverpool 21.
RIALTO, Burrah for London, left Oran 19.
RUAHINE, London for Lyttelton, arrived Colon 21.
STEPHEN, for Liverpool, left Para 21.
SUEVIC, from Liverpool, arrived Sydney 22.
UMZINTO, from Karachi, arrived Gravesend 22.
URBINO, for Delagoa Bay, left Gravesend 21.
VARDULIA, from New York, arrived Gravesend 21.
WALMER CASTLE, from Southampton, arrived East London 21.
WARWICKSHIRE, for Rangoon, left Liverpool 22.

Lieutenant-General J. Dell took the salute, in the presence of a large gathering, at the Trooping of the King's Colour by the 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, at Aldershot, last Saturday.

TROPICAL PRODUCE MARKET STEADY.

(FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)
LIVERPOOL, Saturday.

Business in the Tropical Produce market has been fairly steady in practically every section during the past week, and a firmer tone is in evidence in some of the principal commodities. At the beginning of the week the palm oil market showed a recovery from the decline experienced in the previous week. Both America and the home trade came in as buyers, causing prices to harden, but since then the demand for accommodation has not been so insistent, and prices have slipped back to practically their previous level. Lagos shows little, if any, change, while soft oils, mediums and hards can be bought at round about 5s. per ton advance. Forward positions have been offered more freely than of late, and February-March and March-April arrival can be obtained at from 12s. 6d. to 15s. per ton discount on the spot figure. The exports of palm oil from the United Kingdom for October are returned at 2,865 tons, of which America and the Netherlands each received about one-third, the remainder being spread over Italy, Germany and Russia. In connection with the last-named country it is interesting to note that this is the first recorded instance that oil has been exported to that country since early last year. The week's sales are estimated at about 3,500 tons, with Lagos quoted £45, Sherbro £43 17s. 6d., Niger £44 15s., and Benin £44 12s. 6d.

The copra market has experienced a dragging week, with values at one period over 20s. a ton less than those ruling in the previous week. Crushers then came in at the lower level, in addition to which there was a little speculative covering, which caused values to recover somewhat, there being purchasers of F.M. Straits for November-December shipment at £29 17s. 6d. Marseilles has been a quiet market, with values likewise lower, and F.M. Straits, November-December shipment, can be obtained at £29 15s., and kiln-dried South Sea at £29 7s. 6d.

In the market for ground nuts near-at-hand material has remained steady, but distants are considerably lower. Nigerian decorticated, December-February shipment, has been offered at £27 to Northern Continental ports, without any buyers. Nut oils are quiet, but without much change in values, while refined oils have changed hands here and there at slightly lower values.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

(FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)
Saturday.

Business during the past week has been somewhat restricted, and, with similar conditions prevailing overseas, prices have shown a tendency to lower levels. Nevertheless, popular feeling is disposed towards optimism, based on prospects of further trade expansion. Since the last Bureau statement attention has been largely directed to questions of demand, yet, despite favourable impressions, price movements have by no means been enthusiastically received; on the contrary, speculation on this market has never been so low. Chief concern is over the American outlook. Recent advices are cheerful enough, yet, contrary to Lancashire and the Continent, confidence is by no means of the same order. The Bureau report issued last evening is for a crop of 12,992,000, against the previous estimate of 12,816,000 bales, while the cotton ginned, 11,148,000 bales, compares with 9,695,000 bales. Some such increase was anticipated, and, this being borne out by the Bureau, there is every indication of a fair carry-over for the first time since 1920-21. On the week futures show 31 to 42 points decline.

LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

There was a considerable increase in the supplies of fresh meat landed at Liverpool during the past week. Eight steamers arrived, including two from Australia, with freights as follows:—The Cornwall, from Australia, with 7,333 qrs. of beef; the Port Darwin, from Australia, with 671 boxes of meat and 2,557 qrs. of beef; the Montclare, from Montreal, with 6,174 boxes, etc., of meat; the Regina, from Montreal, with 1,030 boxes, etc., of meat; the Baltic, from New York, with 656 boxes of meat; the Darro, from Buenos Ayres, with 15,435 sheep and lamb carcases, 401 bags of meat and 37,334 qrs. of beef; the Gracia, from Montreal, with 326 cattle and 1,280 boxes of meat/ and the Cornishman, from Montreal, with 850 cattle, making a total of 1,176 cattle, 15,435 sheep and lamb carcases, 10,271 boxes of meat and 47,224 qrs. of beef. Compared with the arrivals of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 636 cattle, 14,316 sheep and lamb carcases, and 35,616 qrs. of beef, and a decrease of 427 boxes of pork and 3,817 boxes of meat.

DUBLIN WEEKLY TRADE REPORT.

EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs. A. Guinness, Son and Co.'s shipments of porter from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists for the past week, were:—

Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf.Brls.	Qr.Brls.
2,287	16,893	1,148	4,240	641

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.
1923...	1,409	10,546	564	513	257
1922...	2,148	16,823	702	760	221
1921...	1,465	9,905	165	149	15

The above week's exports are equal to 23,753 hhds for 1924, as against 13,954 hhds. for 1923, 21,877 hhds for 1922, and 13,011 hhds. for 1921.

The following quantities of porter were also shipped from Dublin by the various firms named, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists, for the week ending November 22nd, 1924:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
Watkins Jameson & Co....	—	22	100	32	51	108
Mountjoy Brewery Co.	—	15	7	65	7	43
D'Arcy & Son	—	9	—	—	—	9
Total	—	46	107	97	58	160

Others 22,492 gallons.

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
1923 ...	—	13	90	200	23	144
1922 ...	—	95	158	394	76	344
1921 ...	—	39	86	250	27	185

EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists and bills of entry, for the week ending November 22nd, 1924, were as follow:—Messrs. Jameson and Son, 1,082 gallons; Dublin Distillers, Co, 675 gallons; Power 746 gallons. Others 445 gals.

Corresponding week's shipments for the previous three years:—

1923 ... Jameson, 999 gallons; Dublin Distillers Co 6,328 gallons. Power 1,424 gallons, Daly 2,441 gallons, Others 77 gallons.

	Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Chs.	Qr-Cks.	Octs.	Kegs
1922 ...	—	7	48	12	14	3	2
1921 ...	1	1	14	57	6	1	1

FOREIGN IMPORTS:—

From Amsterdam—50 cwt. rice. From New Orleans—1,250 cwt. flour, 51 loads pine logs. From Bremen—172 cwt. confy. sugar, 1,997 sugar, 20,244 lbs. tea, 88 cwt. dried fruit. From Antwerp—18 cwt. steel bars, 899 doz. household brushes. From Ghent—200 cwt. wire nails, 7 tons wire. From Rosario—117,220 cwt. maize. From Boulogne—119 tons roofing slates. From Havre—68 gross briarwood pipes. From Riga—22 loads wood. From Montreal—1,100 cwt. matchwood splints, 200 tons linseed cake, 134,055 cwt. flour. From Valencia—3,323 cwt. oranges, 3,320 cwt. onions. From Rotterdam—87 cwt. margarine. From Hamburg—10 cwt. stained glass, 614 door mats, 40 cwt. electrical machinery, 75 gross gas mantles. From cross-Channel ports—20,972 tons of coal arrived per 48 colliers.

LONDONDERRY FIRE.

Shortly before midnight last Friday, a fire broke out in one of a row of three cottages at Creggan, Londonderry. When the Londonderry Fire Brigade arrived it was found that no water was available. To save the other two cottages the firemen separated them from the burning building by making a gap in the roof. The cottage in which the fire originated was destroyed.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

MONDAY.
10 Whitefriar street (Battersby and Co.); 9 and 10 Bachelor's Walk (James Hill and Son).

TUESDAY.
Newtown, Balbriggan (James J. Rooney and Co., Ltd.); Gainsborough House Salerooms (Wm. Montgomery and Son); 78 Rathgar road (Arthur Jones and Son); Knockeader, Herbert road, Bray (P. J. Byrne and Sons, Bray).

WEDNESDAY.
Gainsborough House Salerooms (Wm. Montgomery and Son); 19 Victoria Villas, Charlemont road, Clontarf (MacArthur and Co.); 69 North Circular road (Thomas Garland); 51 Leeson Park (G. H. Lennon).

THURSDAY.
Clonmore, Queen's Park, Monkstown (Hazley and Co., Blackrock); St. Anne's, Killiney avenue, Killiney (James Adam and Sons).

FRIDAY.
Cloughmore, Skerries (G. H. Lennon).

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

NORWICH, Saturday.—Fair supplies of fat cattle met a firm trade and ranged from 12/6 to 14/- per stone. Sheep were in good supply, fat hoggets making up to 1/6 per lb., while fat ewes were a little cheaper at 10d. to 11d. per lb. With trade slow, a large show of store cattle realised £14 to £26 apiece. A small supply of store sheep met a dragging sale and made from 60/- to 74/-. There was a fair demand for calves at £5 a head. Fat and store pigs numbering 349 were penned to-day, fat pork being in brisk demand at 12/6 per stone. Feeders sold well and made up to 68/-, and strong stores to 38/-; small stores were very cheap. At market—Cattle 1,279, and sheep 1,000.

DONCASTER, Saturday.—After being closed three weeks, the cattle market was reopened to-day, when there was a moderate supply of cattle, but no sheep on offer. Very few cows, which made from £30, three-year-old bullocks £20 to £24, two-year-old £18 to £20, and yearlings £12 to £14. Fair inquiry for pigs; suckers down to 10/-, stores 40/-.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES—BALTIC, Saturday.—WHEAT—Cargo market generally quiet, but holders required late rates. Steamer, 10,000 tons, Australian, March sold 63/9, No. 1 Northern Manitoba December sellers 67/6, No. 2 hard winter afloat 60/6, Australian January 64/9, choice white Karachi December 63/-, Rosafe (63½lbs.) January-February 64/-. Parcels quiet. No. 1 Northern Manitoba November-December sellers 64/6, December-January sold 65/9, Australian December-January quoted 64/-, Rosafe (63½lb.) January-February 63/9 per 480lb. MAIZE cargoes firm for near positions, which are sparingly offered, but quieter distant. Plate steamers November-December quoted 43/3, December-January 45/-, January-February 46/3. Parcels dearer. Plate November-December sold 42/3 to 42/4½, December-January 43/3 to 43/4½, January-February 45/- to 45/4½ per 480lb. BARLEY moves off slowly at about late rates. OATS steady. Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 27/-, January-February 26/-, No. 2 Canadian November 31/9 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—Better Argentine cables, and "Bradstreet's" weekly shipments were on a somewhat reduced scale, caused a steadier feeling here during early trading, when a moderate advance was registered, but with little support, prices reacted and closed the turn easier than last night. C.i.f. parcels attracted little attention, business being confined to No. 1 Duluth December at 59/6, while No. 1 Manitoba October-November was held at 64/-, No. 2 hard winter November 58/6, Rosario-Santa Fe November 62/9, Australian December-January 64/- per quarter. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE were considerably dearer on scarcity of sellers, 42/4½ per quarter being realised for November-December River Plate, and 45/4½ asked for January-February shipment. WHEAT on the spot was steady without material change. Maize spot parcels, River Plate less freely offered, and firmly held at 9/- per cental, with Russian still at 10/6, with limited supply. FLOUR in only moderate request at late rates. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. per cental dearer, improved a further ½d., then gave way on sellers showing less reserve, the market closing steady at ½d. per cental under last night. Sales 50 loads at 12/5½ for December, 12/9¼, 12/9⅝, 12/8⅞ March, and 12/8⅛, 12/8⅝ for May delivery; values—December 12/5⅝, March 12/8⅞, May 12/8⅞ per cental. Maize options decidedly firmer on limited offerings, and closed 2d. to 2½d. per cental over last night; values—December 8/11¼, January 9/2, and 10 loads January sold at latter price. Imports of grain (cwts.):—To-day—Wheat 12,600, maize 98,400, beans 280. This week—Wheat 366,985, flour 26,028, maize 666,140, peas 9,770, beans 500. This year—Wheat 21,289,081, flour 743,033, maize 7,371,628, peas 376,257, beans 168,370. Last year—Wheat 20,691,176, flour 702,283, maize 7,138,707, peas 304,024, beans 175,184.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Saturday.—Everything easier. Foreign wheat 14/- to 14/6, English 12/6 to 13/-. Maize, 10/4; native oats 10/4 to 11/6, foreign 12/-; boxings, 10/9; bran, 9/-; broad bran, 10/6; flour, 51/- to 53/-.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—IRISH and DANISH BACON is somewhat less active, and holders have reduced prices to 106/- to 112/-, and 108/- to 112/- per cwt. respectively. Canadian Wiltshires steadily held at date rates. The market for American bacon here rules steady, the setback in prices of Irish and Danish being counteracted by the prospective smaller arrivals from the Atlantic seaboard to Liverpool in the near future as indicated by past week's shipments. The demand, however, is hardly so good as of late, though no quotable change is made in values. HAMS steady for short cut, and fairly active at the recent advance, but extra skinned quiet and unaltered. Shoulders quiet for squares, but picnics steady at recent currencies. LARD on the spot, with easier Chicago cables, and only a moderate demand has given way about 6d. per cwt. Prime steam now quoted 80/6 to 82/-, and American refined 81/6 to 83/- per cwt. CHEESE quiet and unchanged for both Canadian and New Zealand at late prices. BUTTER more firmly held for higher prices. Danish now quoted 230/- to 234/-, Canadian 188/- to 192/-, New Zealand 212/- to 214/-, Australian 190/- to 194/- and Argentine 182/- to 186/- per cwt. EGGS steady at 28/- to 30/- for Irish hen per 120. Imports of provisions (cwts.)—To-day—Bacon 273, hams 375, lard 2,155, cheese 500. This week—Bacon 4,471, hams 4,294, lard 18,081, cheese 8,432, beef 50, butter 833. This year—Bacon 281,785, hams 170,703, lard 884,430, pork 4,911, cheese 346,420, beef 1,360, butter 172,976. Last year—Bacon 377,311, hams 179,397, lard 833,320, pork 6,699, cheese 434,377, beef 2,485, butter 154,478.

LIVERPOOL REFINED LARD "FUTURES," Saturday—The decline in Chicago had already been partly discounted here, but prices, though closing over the worst point, marked a loss of 6d. to 9d. per cwt. on last night. November sold at 81/-, December 80/-, 79/9, 80/-; January 79/-, 79/3; March 78/-, and May 77/9, 78/- per cwt.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Saturday.—Good supply and equal demand. York cabbage 35/-, 52/- and 68/- per load, Savoy 35/- to 40/- per load. Swede turnips 2/- to 2/4 per cwt., cauliflowers 2/3 to 3/3 per dozen, sprouts 2/6 to 3/- per float, celery 2/- to 3/6.

DUBLIN POTATO, Saturday.—A slow demand at late prices, viz., 9/- to 9/6; Victors 10/- per cwt.

CORK BUTTER, Saturday.—The market remains quiet and values are easier. Creameries 206/- per cwt., choicest mild 203/-, farmers' fresh parcels 168/-.

DUBLIN FISH, Saturday.—Small supply, viz., 30 boxes herrings, and a trifle from usual country sources. A fair demand at following prices:—Large soles 20/- to 30/-, mediums 10/- to 15/-, small 2/6 to 5/- per 9 pair; plaice 10/- to 40/-, codfish 12/6 to 17/6 per half box; brill 6d. to 3/-, turbot 6d. to 10/- each; herrings averaged 20/- per box.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Saturday.—Supply fair. Demand fair. Soles 13d. to 15d., slips 12d. to 13d. per pound; live eels 20/- to 40/-, dead 15/- to 30/-, draught; turbot 10/- to 13/-, brill 10/- to 11/-, plaice 10/- to 15/-, halibut 11/- to 17/-, lemon soles 13/- to 16/-, whitches 6/- to 9/-, whiting 3/- to 5/-, cod 5/- to 7/-, hake 10/- to 12/-, skate 4/- to 5/-, haddocks 6/- to 7/- per stone.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Saturday.—Beef steady. Scotch, long 7/4 to 7/8, short 7/4 to 8/-; Argentine chilled hind 4/10 to 5/6, fore 3/4 to 3/8. Mutton—Scotch tegs 9/4 to 10/-, wethers 8/8 to 9/4, English tegs 8/8 to 9/-, wethers 7/8 to 8/8, New Zealand 4/8 to 6/8. Lamb—Scotch hill 9/8 to 10/-.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Saturday.—SUGAR—The refined market remained steady, with a fair business proceeding in British makes at the recent advance. English grown granulated quoted 34/6 prompt delivery ex works, Norfolk. Forward Continental granulated firm. Czecho granulated ready sellers 20/4½, December and January-March 20/-, f.o.b. Hamburg. White terminal rather easier, with fair sales. December sold 18/4¼, March 18/3 to 18/7½, May 18/9, August 18/10¼ per cwt. COFFEE—Spot market generally quiet, but late rates are maintained for all the finer liquoring grades. COCOA—Spot market quiet, unaltered. Accra f.f. quality December-February sold 38/9, f.o.b. terms. TEA Private market very firm and finest descriptions continue to realise full rates despite a falling off in quality, while common and medium descriptions tend in sellers' favour. Auctions next week will comprise 57,200 packages Indian and 16,000 packages Ceylon.

RICE remains quiet. Rangoon two stars spot quoted 18/3 to 18/6, January-February 15/6, Spanish prompt shipment 23/6, and Italian 22/3 c.i.f. Japanese peas spot 25/-, December-January, also January-February 25/9 per cwt. COPRA steady but quiet. F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam October-December sellers £29 13/9, November-January to January-March also £29 13/9; Dutch East Indies October-December quoted £29 5/-, Ceylon ditto £31 5/-, South Sea Islands £29. PALM KERNELS to Liverpool October-December quoted £22 17/6, November-January £22 7/6 per ton. RUBBER slightly irregular, with moderate sales. Plantation standard crepe, also sheet spot, November, also December, sold 1/5 to 1/5¼, January 1/5⅛, January-March also April-June, 1/5¼ per lb. Wild sorts dull. To New York, smoked ribbed sheet December-January sellers 1/5¼, and crepe ditto 1/5½, c.i.f. terms.

OILS—Linseed quietly steady; spot 46/-, December 45/-, January-April 44/7½ paid, May-August 44/10 per cwt. Cotton, rape, castor, and turpentine unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed quiet but fully steady. Calcutta to London November-December quoted £24 7/6, April-May £24 2/6, Plate November-December to Hull £22 2/6, January-February £22. Rapeseed, also cottonseed, quiet, unaltered. SPICE—Pepper market quiet; black Singapore L.S. January-March quoted 5⅛d., Lampong 5¼d., Muntok spot 11½d. to 11⅝d., January-March 11¼d. Cloves steadier; Zanzibar October-December sold 1/-, January-March 11½d. per lb. Tapioca, also Desiccated coconut, unaltered. JUTE quietly steady; firsts to Continent October-November to December-January sellers £41, January-February sold £41 2/6, closing £41 sellers; lightnings November-December, also December-January, quoted £39 10/- per ton. Hessians and twills steady, quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—CANE SUGAR firm, with December shipment of Peru nominally 17/3 per cwt. c.i.f., and little offering. The following are Messrs. Tate and Lyle, Ltd., quotations to-day:—Crystals—No 1 37/6, small No. 1 37/-, No. 2 35/9, bright 35/7½; granulated—Standard 35/6, H.T.S. 35/7½, coarse 35/10½, fine 35/10½, all ex refinery Liverpool less 1½ per cent. discount; cubes ex refinery in London—1st quality 39/-, H.T.S. 38/9, afternoon tea 39/9, less 1½ per cent discount. COCOA quiet spot W. African; forward new crop tends rather in buyers' favour, and business done at 38/9 and 39/- per cwt f.o.b. D clause. COFFEE—Spot sales only small, buyers' and sellers' ideas being apart. RICE quiet, unchanged at 15/9 for new crop Burmah No. 2 January-February shipment, and 15/6 per cwt. February-March shipment c.i.f. HEMP—Manila firm; buyers J grade £53 10/- to £52 10/-, K and L £51 10/-, M £50 10/- per ton c.i.f. December-February; later L Jan.-March done £52 10/-. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak on spot slow at 19/- to 19/3 ex store; for shipment 17/3 per cwt. c.i.f. quoted December-February. JAPANESE PEAS in limited request; prices remain at 26/- on spot and 25/- per cwt. c.i.f. afloat and forward shipments. RANGOON BEANS—Buyers little interested; white hand-picked on spot scarce and 14/- asked; this price also quoted for forward parcels c.i.f.; f.a.q. for shipment 10/7½ per cwt. c.i.f. now quoted. COPRA quiet; £29 per ton value sun-dried West African sorts; little offering. RICE BRAN inactive; old crop November-December shipment Burmah £8 5/- per ton sellers; forward new crop remains idle. LOCUST BEANS have a quiet sale; Cyprus on spot £7 10/- wanted ex store in bags; forward shipments c.i.f. in bulk £6 10/- per ton asked. OIL CAKES—There is only a quiet demand experienced for most descriptions; American linseed c.i.f. nominally £13 1/3 and Bombay £13 c.i.f. forward. Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed December shipment £9 15/- quoted ex ship. Ground nut unaltered at £9 15/- 37 per cent. and £10 15/- 40 per cent. c.i.f. forward. Liverpool palm kernel steady at £9 10/- for cakes, £9 15/- to £10 crushed meal, and £9 15/- per ton sweetened crushed meal ex mills Liverpool, and the crushers' offerings limited. LINSEED steady; River Plate November-December £22 10/- per ton. COTTONSEED quiet; business in Brazil f.a.q. forward £10 per ton. PALM KERNELS quiet, steady, £22 7/6 sellers November-January and £22 17/6 value October-December shipment. PALM KERNEL OIL quiet at £43 10/- to £44 crushed and £43 10/- per ton extracted forward naked ex mills Liverpool. COCOANUT OIL in quiet request, with £48 per ton asked for Ceylon for shipment c.i.f. Liverpool. PALM OIL firm, especially near positions; soft oils afloat sold £44 15/- per ton. TALLOW firm, but no trading reported. DYEWOODS—Logwood and fustic on spot quiet, steady, unchanged rates. GAMBIER firm, with block on spot scarce and nominal, and 67/- per cwt. c.i.f. asked for shipment; cubes not quoted. CUTCH firmly held for 46/- to 50/- per cwt., as in quality, for Burmah on spot, and only limited supplies available. GUM—Niger Arabic inquired for on a moderate scale, and late rates quoted on spot. RUBBER—Para steady; hard fine spot 18d. per lb. CASTOR OIL—English-made steady at £78 for pharmacy, £73 firsts, £70 seconds ex mills Hull, and a quiet business doing; for Belgian first pressure for shipment bids of £72 10/- per ton would be submitted, c.i.f. terms; Calcutta good seconds November-December shipment sellers at 3 3-16d. per lb. ex quay terms Liverpool in cases. SEED OILS—Cottonseed firm at 51/-, common edible and 53/- per cwt. deodorised nett naked ex mills, and crushers' offers very restricted. Linseed oil unchanged at 49/6 raw and 51/6 per cwt. boiled spot barrels. ROSIN steady but slow; American types unchanged at 17/3 common, 17/10½ F and G, 18/9 N, 20/6 WG, and 21/6 per cwt. WW on spot. TURPENTINE quiet; American on spot 62/9 to 63/9 per cwt., according to quality. PETROLEUM oils without change; sellers spot American refined 1/2 to 1/3 per gallon for barrels. WOOD OIL—Hankow in barrels quiet; spot quoted 85/- to 87/6 and forward shipment 83/- per cwt. c.i.f. NITRATE OF SODA in quiet request, but quotations remain steady on spot at £13 10/- to £13 15/- per ton as in quality in single bags.

LIVERPOOL WHITE SUGAR TERMINAL, Saturday—The following are to-day's "Official Call" prices of the United Sugar Terminal Market Association, Liverpool Branch:—Morning—November, 20/- sellers, 18/7½ buyers; December, 18/10½ sellers; March (1925), 18/7½ sellers, 18/3 buyers; May (1925), 18/10½ sellers, 18/6 buyers; August (1925), 19/- sellers. Tone steady.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Saturday.—Melted, 200 tons; raw stock, 7,382 tons. As strike continues and stocks of Clyde refined exhausted, trade is purchasing moderate quantities Continental refined, but offerings not excessive, an occasional advance of 3d. per cwt. is obtained by sellers. Fine Dutch 20/6, ordinary shipped, and 19/- Belgian crystals December delivery. Market closes firm.

LEICESTER WOOL, Saturday.—Trade is fairly satisfactory all round in the hosiery factories, but there are many difficulties ahead owing to the further increase in the price of wool. This must end in the stiffening of quotations for finished goods, and is bound to check that opening of the market for which everyone was hoping. Yarns are very quiet, for buyers are refusing to give forward orders till the position is clearer.

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U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS STRONG AT CLOSE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Saturday.

Stocks opened heavy and extensive realising took place, many losses of 1 to 2 points being recorded; but the market rebounded vigorously owing to enormous buying of Chicago Rock Island and Pacific and Chicago Milwaukee, and St. Paul issues, and the early declines were largely cancelled. Some specialties were buoyant, notably Tobacco shares, and Wilson Packing Pref. jumped 8 points. The closing was strong.

Government Bonds steady; Railroad Bonds firm. The day's sales amounted to 990,000 shares. Money on call dull and nominal. Sterling exchange steady. Silver unchanged for foreign mined at 68⅜.

Rises.—Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe shares and Great Northern Ore Certificates ⅝, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Common 1⅛, Erie Railroad shares and Ontario and Western ½, Norfolk and Western Common 7, and Chicago Rock Island Common 3⅜.

Falls—Illinois Central, Wabash Pref., General Electric, General Motors, and Pan-American Petroleum Ord. ½, and Louisville and Nashville 1½.

Call Money	2½b. 2¾a	Nom.
Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight	4.60⅝	4.60⅞
Do. do Demand Bills	4.63⅜	4.63⅝
Cable Transfers	4.63⅝	4.63⅞
Do. Montreal ...	4.63⅜	4.63¾
Exchange Paris, cable	5.28½	5.31

Eng. Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices. Fri.	Business Done. Sat.
110⅛	U.S. Funded	102⅛	102⅛
12⅛	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	111⅞	112½
100⅛	Do. Preference	93¼	93¼
75	Baltimore and Ohio	69½	69⅞
164⅛	Canadian Pacific	152⅝	152¾
97⅛	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	90½	90¾
19⅛	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	16⅝	17¾
74⅛	Chicago and N.-West	69	68¾
34	Erie Shares	31⅛	31⅝
44⅛	Erie 1st Preferred	41	41⅛
75⅛	Great Northern Pref.	70¼	70
121¼	Illinois Central	113½	113
74⅛	Lehigh Valley	69¼	69¼
111	Louisville & Nashville	104½	103
28⅛	Missouri, Kan., & Texas	26⅝	26⅞
34⅛	Missouri Pacific New	31⅜	31⅞
4⅛	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	4	4⅛
2⅛	Do. 2nd Pref.	2	2
126⅛	N.Y., Ctl. & Hudson R.	117¾	117⅞
136	Norfolk and West Com.	125⅛	126⅜
75⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	70	70¼
29⅛	Ontario and Western	26¾	27¼
50⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	47⅜	47¼
73	Reading Shares	67⅛	67¾
38¾	Do Preferred	36	36
80	Southern Railway	74⅛	74¼
109⅛	Southern Pacific	101⅜	101⅝
48⅛	Texas and Pacific	44⅞	44⅝
158⅛	Union Pacific	147¾	147
80⅜	Do. Pref.	74⅜	74½
23⅛	Wabash Common	21¾	21¾
58⅛	Do Preferred A.	54⅛	54
90⅛	American Smelt. and Refining.	83⅞	83⅞
40⅛	Anaconda Copper	38¼	38
27⅛	British-American Tobacco Ord.	25¼	25⅝
85⅛	Utah Copper	79	79
81⅛	New York Consolidated Gas.	75	75⅝
290⅛	General Electric	270	269½
167	National Lead	155¼	155
124⅝	United States Steel Common.	115⅝	115¾
130⅛	Do. Pref.	121⅛	121¼
47⅛	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	44¼	44
—	Silver Commercial Bars	68⅜	68⅜
62¾	General Motors (New)	58¾	58¼
13⅛	Inter. Mer. Marine Com Certs.	12⅛	12¼
45⅜	Do. Pref. Certs.	42¾	43
49¼	Royal Dutch Ordinary	45⅞	45¾
40⅛	Shell Ordinary	37¾	37½
58⅛	Pan-American Petroleum Ord.	55	54⅛
18⅛	Anglo-American Oil	17⅛	17⅛
21⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	19⅜	19⅞
38¼	U.S. Rubber	38	38
	BONDS.		
95⅛	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	88½	88⅛
67½	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds.	62¾	62⅛
102⅛	Reading 4 p.c. Mortgage Bonds	95¾	95⅛
98⅛	Union Pacific 4 p.c. Bonds	92	91⅛
112⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bds.	104⅝	104⅝
123⅛	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	114	114¼
114⅛	Do. do. 1937	106⅝	106⅝

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex interest. § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

WHEAT strong, 6c. to 4½c. up.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	169⅛	164⅛
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	175¼	169½
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot ...	167½	163
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot ...	185½	181¼

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts—Atlan.	852	1,182	163,433	120,294
Clearances „ ...	515	317	152,603	104,477

(In thousands of bushels.)

Sales for export—155 boatloads.

Rye—Spot No. 2, 145½. Sales for export—25 boatloads.

American barley malting, 98.

MAIZE firm, ⅛c. dearer.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed, spot ...	129½	128⅞

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts—Atlan.	97	8	4,626	4,373
Clearances „ ...	—	—	1,258	1,427

(In thousands of bushels.)

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD steady, 2½ points up to unchanged. Prime Western steam, 15.37½; Middle West, 14.95 to 15.05.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 7.00 to 7.50.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 3/- to 3/6.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100 lbs., 11c. to 15c.

Cotton, high density, to Great Britain, per 100 lbs., 35c.

Cotton, standard bales, to Great Britain, per 100 lbs., 50c.

RUBBER dull; first latex crepe, 33¾ buyers, 34 sellers; smoked ribbed sheets, 33½, 34 sellers.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Mid-Continent Crude	1.10	1.10
Standard White in cases	16.90	16.90
Standard White in barrels	13.50	13.50
Do. Philadelphia	13.60	13.60
Pennsylvania crude	2.75 2.85	2.75 2.85

COFFEE opened firm at 30 to 65 points advance on firm Brazilian advices, and further gains were scored on buying by trade interests, commission houses and Wall street operators, and purchases on the reaction theory. The market closed firm, 75 to 90 points up on the day. Spot firm and unchanged. Rio, spot, No. 7, 21¼; Santos, No. 4, spot, 26½. Approximate day's sales—60,000 bags.

Futures—Options—	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May	July
To-day...	18.85	18.70	18.55	18.00	17.45	17.00
Prev. day	18.10	17.95	17.75	17.24	16.65	16.25

SUGAR steady, 3 to 5 points up. Centrifugal Cuban, spot, steady; 96 test Centrifugal Cuban, 5.90. Approximate day's sales—14,000 tons.

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July.
To-day	4.10	3.41	3.03	3.15	3.21
Prev. day ...	4.07	3.36	3.04	3.11	3.21

TALLOW steady; extra loose, 10.

COTTONSEED OIL firm; prime summer yellow spot, 11.05. Options—December, 10.73; March, 10.78; May, 10.95.

SHELLAC—T.N. spot.

TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 85½; Savannah, 78½.

RESIN—Grade F, 6.30; Grade K, 6.32½; Grade WW, 8.10.

BURLAPS quiet; Burlaps Hessian cloth, light-weight, 9.15; heavy-weight, 10.60.

METALS—Tin steady; spot, 54.62½; future option 54.62½; tinplates, 5.50. Lead steady, 8.82½. Zinc steady; East St. Louis, spot, 6.80. Iron steady; No. 2 American, Northern foundry, 20.00 to 22.00. Electrolytic Copper steady; spot, 13⅞ to 13⅞; futures, 13¾ to 14. Steel—Bessemer Rails, 43.

OUTSIDE GRAIN MARKETS.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat firm, 1¼c. up. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 150½.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat barely steady, ½c. cheaper. No. 2 red winter, spot, 165.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat strong, 3½c. dearer. No. 1 Northern spring, spot, 151½.

DULUTH—Flaxseed, December, 264.

TOLEDO—Cloverseed, December, 19.30.

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

Wheat opened steady, ⅛c. up, and closed strong, 3½c. dearer. Opening options—December 158½, May 162⅞. Closing options—December 161; May 165⅞. Oats firm, 1⅛c. up. Closing option—December 59½. Flaxseed, December, 238.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	211	218
No. 2 Northern	264	232
No. 3 Northern	255	269
No. 4 Northern	254	222
Other grades... ...	398	382
Total ...	1,382	1,323

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, but 5 to 16 points lower. Values were depressed for a while owing to the discouraging Wall street conditions, selling by Southern operators, Wall street houses and foreign interests, and liquidation; but rallied later on spot houses and trade buying and improvement in the spot situation. The market closed steady, 5 points down to 15 points up. Spot quiet at 5 points reduction. New Orleans, spot, 5 points higher.

Spot, middling upland, at New York, 24.10.
Spot, middling upland, at New Orleans, 23.95.

Receipts—Atlantic 10,000, Gulf 35,000, Pacific 1,000, interior towns 41,000. Exports—Great Britain nil. Continent 3,000, Japan nil (all in bales).

New York futures in the last twenty seconds of trading—November, unquoted; December, lowest 23.61, highest 23.65; January 23.88, 23.92; February 24.09, 24.09; March 24.30, 24.33; April 24.45, 24.45; May 24.60, 24.68; June 24.62, 24.62; July 24.64, 24.68; August 24.24, 24.24; September 23.85, 23.85; October 23.60, 23.60.

New Orleans futures in the last minute of trading—January, lowest 24.02, highest 24.04; March 24.20, 24.25.

The current week's receipts of cotton at the ports are estimated to total 425,000 bales.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Saturday.

WHEAT opened steady at ⅛c. advance, and values continued to improve under the influence of bullish cable advices, export business, strength of outside markets, predictions of decreased receipts, a demand from millers, active covering of shorts and outside support. The market closed strong, 4c. to 2⅛c. higher. Spot firm.

	To-day	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	152½	150¼
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	151¾	149⅜
Futures—Opening options—	Dec.	May.
To-day	150⅞	158⅛
Prev. day	149	157⅛

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day	153⅞	161¾	142
Prev. day... ...	149⅞	157¾	139⅛

	To-day.	Same day last year	This season	Last season
Receipts (W.)...	2,086	1,259	348,615	214,445

(In thousands of bushels.)

CORN opened steady, ⅛c. up to unchanged, and further advances were recorded on commission house buying, firm Liverpool cables, active covering of shorts, predictions of unfavourable weather, bull support and in sympathy with the rise in wheat, but partially reacted later on predicted increase in receipts, disappointing cash demand and realising sales. The market, however, closed steady, 1⅛c. to 1½c. up.

	To-day	Prev. day
Spot No. 2 mixed	112⅛	114⅛
Futures—Opening options—	Dec.	May
To-day	113⅞	119¾
Prev. day	115⅛	120⅛

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day	114⅛	120⅞	122
Prev. day	112⅛	119⅞	120⅛

	To-day	Same day last year	This season	Last season
Receipts (W.)	837	1,305	89,777	89,462

(In thousands of bushels.)

OATS steady at ⅛c. to ⅛c. gain.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day	53⅜	58⅜	57⅛
Prev. day	52⅜	58⅛	56⅛

RYE No. 2 spot 133½. Future closing options—December, 136⅛; May, 139⅞.

PROVISIONS opened steady but quiet. Lower hog quotations and unfavourable European advices caused recessions early; then the market reacted in sympathy with grain, also on investment buying, scarcity of offers and light stocks. The closing was firm, with lard 10 to 17½ and ribs 27½ to 15 points up.

Lard—Closing options	Jan.	Mar.	May.
To-day	14.25	14.35	14.45
Prev. day	14.10	14.25	14.27½

Ribs—Closing options—	Jan.	Mar.	May.
To-day	12.95	—	13.00
Prev. day	12.67½	—	12.85

BACON remains steady and unchanged. Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average), 13.25.

HOGS easy, 50 to 30 points down for light descriptions and 15 to 10 points down for heavy. Light hogs, 7.50 to 8.90; heavy hogs, 9.15 to 9.50.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities ...	95,000	70,000
Chicago	14,000	13,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since November 1st, total 2,922,000, against 3,281,000 same season last year.

The week's hog pack here totalled 230,000, compared with 196,000 last week, and 207,000 in the corresponding week last year.

Acknowledging an illuminated address, presented to him by his former fellow-miners at Pontypridd on Saturday night, Mr. A. J. Cook, General Secretary, Miners' Federation, expressed the hope that they would never again have a Labour Party in office unless they were there with an overwhelming majority.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), AT 2 P.M.,

AT THEIR ESTATE SALEROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

74 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD.

An exceptionally desirable Residence, Pembroke Township. Possession to Purchaser. Held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 25th March, 1876, subject to £5 per annum. Sewerage recently reconstructed. Keys at 110 Grafton street.
Messrs. WILLIAM FRY and SONS, Solicitors, 14 Lower Mount street.

9 TEMPLE PARK, N., SEAPOINT AVENUE, BLACKROCK.

MODERN, SEMI-DETACHED, NON-BASEMENT VILLA. Clear Possession. Two storeys, bay window to roof; garden front and rear. Contains entrance hall, four rooms and kitchen, w.c., space for bath, coal store, etc. Held for 500 years, subject to £3 per annum.
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Standing detached upon about 23½ acres of land, all in grass and of first quality; electric light throughout; excellent offices; lofted in enclosed yard; walled-in garden, fully stocked; vinery, tomato house, etc. Held for 99 years from 1895, subject to £128 6/8 per annum. There are two Cottages which produce about £25 per annum. Possession to purchaser.
ROGER FOX, Solicitor, Lower Ormond quay.

WOODLAWN—NEWLY-BUILT BUNGALOW.

Standing on about 1 acre, detached, situate in Seafield avenue, Castle avenue end, near Clontarf Church. Position high and healthful, handsome building. Lease 150 years. Head rent £12 per annum. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Messrs. FRANKS and OULTON, Solicitors, 21 Lower Fitzwilliam street.

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ATTRACTIVE DETACHED RESIDENCE, standing in 1a. 3r., clear possession, situated at the corner of Sea road and Castle avenue. Delightful views. Electric tram passing. Electric light; Vartry water Held for over 70 years unexpired, subject to £39 a year. Order to View from
Messrs. FRANKS and OULTON, Solicitors, 21 Lr. Fitzwilliam street.

SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 27TH NOVEMBER.
27 PEMBROKE ROAD.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO. have been instructed to SELL THE GENERAL EFFECTS, comprising:—Cottage Pianoforte, by Cramer, Wood and Co.; Mahogany and Walnut China Display Cabinets, French Console Table, Pair large Ormolu Vases, Ormolu Clock and Candelabra, French Armchairs, Sets of Chairs, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Couches, Ormolu and other Chandeliers, Antique Grandfather Clock, by Fry; Paintings and Pictures, Mahogany and Inlaid Whatnots, Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, Old China and Glass Ware, Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, with mirror back; Gilt Overmantels, Dinner Wagons, Axminster Stair and other Carpets, Linoleum, number of interesting Books, Mahogany Hall Stand, Plate Chest, &c. &c.; Mahogany Neats Drawers, Duchesse Pairs, Commodes, Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding, and usual Bedroom Furnishings; Kitchen Dressers, Tables, Chairs, and Culinary Utensils.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

DOCKRELL LIMITED. M.I.A.A.

ON VIEW TO-DAY, FROM 10 O'C. TO 4.30 O'C.

IMPORTANT SALE OF
PRINTER'S AND BOOKBINDER'S PLANT,
AND LEASEHOLD OF THE PREMISES, ON
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) AND WEDNESDAY,
25th and 26th NOVEMBER.

IN RE GEORGE MACNIE (TRADING AS W. LECKIE & CO.).

WE ARE INSTRUCTED BY DAVID TELFORD ESQ., F.C.A., Trustee, TO SELL THE ENTIRE UP-TO-DATE PLANT, TYPE, and STOCK, including:—Monotype Caster, with D Keyboard; 3 Lithographic Machines, 3 Wharfedales, Platens, Self and Hand Clamp Guillotines, Treble Striker Ruling Machine, Paging Machines, Nipping Press, Gold Blocking do., Perforators, Wire Stitching Machines, Label Punching Machine, Screw Press, 10 cwt. Avery Weighing Machine, Power and Hand Lith Presses, 3 Tons Monotype Metal, Melting Pot, Proof Presses; a vast quantity of almost New Type (in 170 lots), Wood Letters, Chases; 2 h.p., 3 h.p., 5½ h.p. and 10 h.p. Motors, Shafting; a large Stock of Paper, Bookbinding Material, and Ink; Office Furniture, Typewriter, Fireproof Safe, etc. Catalogues NOW READY.

The Premises are known as 57 and 58a BOLTON STREET, and extend through to Henrietta place, and have been newly erected within the past few years. They are up-to-date in every respect, and consist of two large floors, 114ft. x 70ft., with Offices, Showroom, and Stores. The light is excellent. There are workers' and staff w.c.'s, heating apparatus, strong room, and electric light. The position has the advantage of being central, and convenient to the railway termini.

Held for a term of 20 years from 1st May, 1922, subject for the first five years to £400 per annum, for the second five years subject to £600 per annum, for the third five years subject to £700 per annum, and for the last five years subject to £800 per annum.
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DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

LAUREL HILL, LURGAN.

VALUABLE FREEHOLD
FARM OF LAND AND MODERN RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

MR. THOMAS KENNEDY (who is retiring from Farming) will put up for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the BROWNLOW ARMS HOTEL, LURGAN, on THURSDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, 1924, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon:
HIS FARM, situate in the TOWNLANDS OF CLANKILVORAGH AND DERRYLISNAHAVIL, BARONY OF O'NEILAND EAST AND COUNTY OF ARMAGH, containing 86 Acres 1 Rood and 7 Perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, subject to an annuity of £48 17s. 10d., payable to the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland.

THE LANDS are of excellent quality and in a high state of cultivation, being thoroughly drained and well matured, with a constant supply of water. There is a well-stocked orchard, in full bearing, and a convenient gravel pit on the Lands.

THE RESIDENCE, which has been erected in recent years and of modern construction, is stone and lime built and slated, and approached from the county road by an asphalte avenue, through a lawn studded with ornamental trees. It is two-storey high and contains: 3 receptions, box-room, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery and attic, all in first-class order; while the Out-offices, also stone and lime built and slated, form an enclosed yard, and comprise large barn, storehouse and workshop, with large grain loft, stable for 5 horses, byre for 8 cows, loose box, 2 large potato houses, fowl house, piggery, 2 large bullock sheds, straw shed, boiling house, coach-house, and corrugated iron hay barn, 100ft. x 30 x 18. There are 2 pumps, with a never-failing supply of water, in the farm yard.

ON THE FARM are three well-slated Cottier Houses, let at a rental of £18 4s. 0d. per annum, which is capable of increase.

The Premises are situate on the county road leading from Lurgan to Kilmore, and about 1 mile from Lurgan.

TERMS—25 per cent. deposit at time of Sale, and Auction Fees, but if desired part of the purchase money can remain on security of farm.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to
HUGH HAYES, Solicitor, Lurgan.

THOMAS KENNEDY,
AUCTIONEER, LURGAN.

ON VIEW—GAINSBORO' HOUSE SALEROOMS.
SALE TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) & WEDNESDAY, AT 12 NOON DAILY.
EXCEPTIONALLY FINE COLLECTION OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, COMPLETE SET OF MALTON'S VIEWS OF OLD DUBLIN.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, as above, the following:—Upright Piano, by Bishop, London; Sheraton Bow-front Sideboard, do. Teapoy, with drawer; do. Stationery Case, on stand; Empire Bureau, with enclosed drawers; English Talboys, Dutch Marquetry Secretaire, Antique Mahogany Secretaire and Drawers, Spanish Etagere, inlaid with ivory; Italian Secretaire and Drawers, 4' 6" high, 2' 3" wide; 5' Georgian Sideboard, Set of 25 Prints of Old Dublin, by Malton, suitably framed, with descriptive book; Mason's Ironstone Dinner Service, Inlaid Mahogany Drawing and Diningroom Suites in Silk Tapestry and Morocco Leather; Inlaid Walnut Bookcase and China Cabinets; Overmantels, in Carved and Giltwood Frames; Dining Tables, Sets of Chairs, Sideboards, Interspersing and Work Tables and Chairs, Old Irish Spinning Wheel, Mahogany Writing Tables and Desks; Bedroom Suites, in Walnut, Oak, and White Enamel; Hall Furniture, Talboys, Gent.'s Wardrobes and Drawers, All-Brass and Oak Bedsteads and Bedding, House and Table Linen; Donegal, Wilton, and Axminster Stair and Floor Carpets and Rugs; Silver and Plated Ware, Table Glass and China, Furniture of Maids' Bedrooms, 2 Iron Safes, Kitchen Furniture, Culinary Utensils, Mangles, Lawn Mowers and general Out-door Effects. THE MALTON VIEWS WILL BE SOLD AT 2 O'CLOCK SHARP ON TO-MORROW (TUESDAY).

RE SIR LAMBERT ORMSBY, DECEASED.
200 VOLUMES OF SURGICAL AND MEDICAL BOOKS. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.
WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., 24 SUFFOLK ST., DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY.
JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A., 9, 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.
HIGH-CLASS AUCTION OF
SUPERIOR MODERN FURNITURE,
CARPETS, AND EFFECTS,

Comprising:—DRAWINGROOM, DININGROOM, BEDROOM, and HALL FURNITURE, in VARIETY; ROOM, STAIR and LANDING CARPETS, HEARTH RUGS, LINOLEUMS; OVERMANTELS; and a LARGE COLLECTION of CLEAN KITCHEN FURNITURE, DRESSERS, MANGLES, PRESSES, TABLES, CHAIRS, CHINA, GLASS, PLATED WARE, &c., &c.
Sale commences 1 p.m. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. fees.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 & 10 Bachelor's Walk

FURNITURE AUCTION

AT SALEROOMS, 16 PARNELL (RUTLAND) SQUARE,
ON WEDNESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1924, AT 2 O'CLOCK P.M.,

Embracing:—Superb 10ft. Carved Oak Sideboard, small Walnut ditto, Walnut Bedroom Suite, F.O. ditto, Grandfather Clock (brass dial), 2 Screw Dining Tables, Mahogany Hall Table, Inlaid China Cabinet, Inlaid Revolving Bookstand, large Mahogany Bookcase and Secretaire, Mahogany Bureau, 7-piece Drawingroom Suite, in leather cloth, and several Mahogany F.L. Tables; Walnut and other Overmantels, Set Mahogany Economy Dining Tables, Kitchen Table and Dresser, Mahogany Dumb Waiter, Oak ditto, Easy and Occasional Chairs, Couches, Couch Bed, Go Car, Violin and Case, Brass Curbs, large Steel Safe, Cots, Paintings, Pictures, Glass Ware, Dolls, about 12 Gent.'s Trench Coats, Nap Overcoating, and several Suit Lengths, &c., &c.; also large assortment of Household Effects. On View To-morrow (Tuesday), 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Terms—Cash and 5 per Cent. Auction Fees.

WALSH, BECKETT & CO., M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS.

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), November 25, 12 sharp.
78 RATHGAR ROAD.

THE HOUSE having been sold, we are instructed to Sell interesting Collection of Furniture and Appointments, including:—Handsome large richly Stained Glass Window; Boudoir Grand Overstrung Piano, by Haake; Cecilian Piano Player, with 100 Rolls; 12-Stop American Organ; Valuable Violin, Clarionette; Telescope, Opera Glass, Barlock Typewriter, Microscope, Oak Carved Hall Stand, mirror back; Oak Dining Table, Mahogany ditto, Set of 6 Antique High-back Dining Chairs, in leather; Oil Paintings and Engravings, Decorative and Table China and Glass, Electro Plate, handsome Mahogany Cabinet, Overmantel, with Bevelled Plate; 3-Tier Dumb Waiter, Duet Saddlebag Settee, Inlaid Dwarf Mahogany China Cabinet, Brass Frame Piano Stool, Quantity of Books, including Medical Works; 2-Door Glazed Mahogany Bookcase, Mahogany Winged Wardrobe, centre door mirrored; Bedsteads and Bedding, Bedroom Furniture, Bedside Tables, Bamboo Glazed Bookcase, White Enamel Overmantel, Painted Presses, Golden Eagle in Case, Heavy Pile, Axminster and other Carpets, as new, Room and Stairs; Kitchen and Culinary Utensils, Gas Cooker, 3 Sets of Golf Clubs, Lady's Cycle, Superior Perambulator, rubber tyres; 2 Garden Urns. On View To-day (Monday) 2 to 4 o'clock and To-morrow Morning from 10. Admission to Sale 1/- Refunded to purchasers. Complete delivery Wednesday.

ARTHUR JONES & SON,
Auctioneers, Valuers, House Agents, Furniture Removers and Storers,
DUBLIN and GREYSTONES. 'Phone One.

CASTLEKNOCK.
SYNGE ESTATE.
17 ACRES of above will be LET BY AUCTION on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 12 o'clock sharp.
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KILLINEY.
ST. ANNE'S.
THURSDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, 1924.

WE are instructed by Colonel Sir William Taylor, K.B.E., to SELL BY AUCTION, THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE, IN FINE CONDITION, PIANO, CARPETS, PICTURES, AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS, Etc. The Furniture, which includes some exceptionally good pieces, comprises—Fine Chippendale 6 ft. Mural Table, with elaborately carved deep freize; Antique Mah. 6 ft. Sideboard, incurved front; Fine Hepplewhite Side Table, and 12 Hepplewhite Dining Chairs and 2 Carvers, in morocco; good Gors and Kallman Upright Piano, walnut case; Burroughs and Watts 8 x 4 Billiard Table and Accessories, with dining table tops; 2 Chesterfield Couches, Divan Easy Chairs, Antique Sheraton, Occasional and Arm Chairs, 2 Revolving Bookcases, various Card and Occasional Tables, 12 ft. Telescope Dinner Table, Antique Brass Fenders, Coal Boxes and Screens, Superior Axminster and Indian Carpets and Rugs, Linoleums, Chenille and other Curtains, Valuable Oil Paintings, Water Colours and Engravings, Girandole and Walnut Mantel Mirror, Writing Desk, Walnut and Mahogany Mirror Door Wardrobes, Duchess Toilet Tables and Chests Drawers, Antique Toilet Glasses, Toilet Ware, Presses, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding, Maids' Room Furniture, Kitchen Mangle, Dresser, Furniture, and Utensils, Perfection Oil Cooking Stove, Step Ladders, Glass and China, etc. OUTDOOR EFFECTS include Pena. 16" and other Lawn Mowers, good Double Iron Roller, Garden Tools, Wheelbarrow, 3 Garden Frames and Lights, Hen House and Run, Tennis Marker, Poles and Net, 3 Garden Benches and 19 Chairs, House, Chrysanthemums and other Plants, large Quantity of Flower Pots, etc. On View Morning of Sale, 10 till 12. Sale Thursday, 27th inst., at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers and Appraisers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

EVENTS IN IRELAND are fully summarised in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES," with Illustrations. Price Twopence.

MESSRS. HOLDEN'S AUCTIONS.

NEXT WEDNESDAY, 26th NOVEMBER,
At One o'clock.
THOROUGHLY SECURED
PROFIT GROUND RENT,
£111 12/-,

Arising out of the High-Class Residential Property Known as Nos. 1 to 30 PALMERSTON GARDENS, AND THE FOLLOWING SIX HOUSES IN COWPER ROAD—Viz., BRIGHTHOLME, SAINT QUINTAN'S, SAINT JOSEPH'S, DOCHAS, CHARLTON, IVY DENE.

NEWLY-BUILT COTTAGE HOUSE. POSSESSION.
BELMONT, EATON ROAD,
TERENURE.

COMPACT DWELLINGHOUSE. POSSESSION.
20 HAROLD'S CROSS ROAD.

IMPORTANT FULLY-LICENSED CONCERN,
O'NEILL'S,
8 LOWER LIFFEY STREET,

VALUABLE SPIRIT GROCERY PREMISES,
39 LEINSTER AVENUE,
NORTH STRAND.

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers, M.I.A.A.,
2 SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 10th DECEMBER,
At One o'clock.
LOT 1—SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION.
109 PHILIPSBURGH AVENUE,
FAIRVIEW.

Lease 491 years from 1901, at £3 8s. 7d.
The house has bay window, and contains two sittingrooms, four bedrooms, hot bath, kitchen, scullery, grass plot in front, garden at rear, containing out-offices, and having rear entrance. The house is situated in a bracing, healthy district, and convenient to Clontarf and Ballybough trams; wired for electric light.

LOT 2—ATTRACTIVE SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH GARAGE.
107 PHILIPSBURGH AVENUE.

Lease 491 years from 1901 at £3 8s. 7d.
Accommodation similar to No. 109 (described above), but with garage and washhouse extra. Let to an excellent tenant at £80 per annum.
Conditions of Sale from
JAMES O'CONNOR and CO., Solicitors, 1 Dame street.
Orders to View from
W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers, M.I.A.A.,
2 SAINT ANDREW STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 1924,
At One o'clock.
EXECUTORS' SALE. CAREY JEFFRIES, Deceased.
WELL-SECURED FEE-SIMPLE RENTS,
IN SIX LOTS.

LOT 1—FEE-SIMPLE RENT OF £27 18s. 6d. out of 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53 and 54 Lower Mountpleasant avenue, Ranelagh. Held for ever free of rent, and sub-leased for long terms to three lessees.

LOT 2—THOROUGHLY SECURED RENT OF £20 PER ANNUM out of Nos. 27 and 24 Belgrave square, Monkstown. Held under lease for 890 years, indemnified from rent and sub-leased for long terms at £12 and £8 respectively.

LOT 3—FEE-SIMPLE RENT OF £16 PER ANNUM out of 47, 49, 51 and 53 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh. Held for ever free of rent, and sub-leased for long terms to three lessees.

LOT 4—FEE-SIMPLE RENT OF £15 PER ANNUM out of 4, 5, and 6 BERKELEY ROAD. Held for ever, free of rent, and sub-leased for long terms to two lessees.

LOT 5—FEE-SIMPLE RENT OF £9 PER ANNUM out of 31, 33 and 35 Ashfield road, Ranelagh. Held for ever free of rent, and sub-leased separately for long terms at £3 each per annum.

LOT 6—FEE-SIMPLE RENT OF £7 PER ANNUM out of 11 Belvidere place. Held for ever free of rent, and sub-leased for a long term at £7.

All the above Properties are situated in good-class residential districts (Lot 4 comprises Shops), and the various Rents thereout are thoroughly secured.

Conditions of Sale of above 6 Lots from
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Further particulars from
W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers, M.I.A.A.,
2 SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN.

30 BEAUTIFUL YOUNG
CHEVIOT & HALF-BRED EWES,
Running with pedigree Suffolk Ram since September.
FOR SALE, on
THURSDAY NEXT,
Previous to Store Cattle Auction,
At 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.
GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.

FARM FOR SALE
BY PRIVATE TREATY.
Within 1 mile of Curragh, Co. Kildare. Would make admirable Stud Farm. Apply
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50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

GREENPARK, DUNSHAUGHLIN.
IMPORTANT LETTING OF
210 IRISH ACRES,
On FRIDAY, 5th DECEMBER,
At 12 o'clock.
For the Grazing of Horned Cattle and Sheep, from 1st January to 30th November, 1925, in divisions of from 7 to 44 Acres.
Cards with areas on application.
GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

ANNAMOE, PORTARLINGTON.
On WEDNESDAY, 26th NOVEMBER, 1924,
At 11.30 o'clock.

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE SALE OF STOCK (including 4 Milch Cows, 7 Weanling Calves 4 Draught Horses, etc.), MACHINERY AND IMPLEMENTS (including 16 h.p. Mogul Tractor, 4ft. Hornsby Threshing Mill, No. 4 Bamford Mill, Oliver 2 and 3-Furrow Self-lift Plough, etc.), CROPS (including Rick of excellent 2nd Crop Hay, 3 large Pikes of superior 3rd Crop ditto, Turnips and Mangolds in pit), YARD AND GARDEN TOOLS, and the entire HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS, for Mr. W. H. A. Walker.
JOHN G. STEEL, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer, PORTARLINGTON.

OVIDSTOWN, STRAFFAN.

CLEARANCE SALE of First Crop Hay, Straw, Roots, Horses, Farming Implements, etc., on
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY),
NOVEMBER 25th,
commencing at 12 o'clock, by instructions from Mr. Jas. Galvin, who has Sold the Farm.
Full particulars vide Posters or on application to
GANLY, SONS & CO.

STRAFFAN, CO. KILDARE.

WE are instructed by Robert J. Mills, Esq., to LET BY AUCTION, on the LANDS, on FRIDAY NEXT, 28th NOVEMBER,
425 ACRES (I.P.M.)
of the Prime Old Feeding and Fattening Lands of TURNINGS, SHORTWOOD and DAARS, in the usual divisions, for Grazing of Cattle and Sheep, from 1st January to 1st December, 1925.

TURNINGS is situated within 1 mile of Straffan and 2 miles of Sallins (Stations on the G.S. and W. Railway), and is about 14 miles by road from Dublin. The Lands are well fenced and sheltered, and have an abundant supply of running water. Careful herds will be provided, but the Vendor will not be responsible should any accidents occur to grazing stock. One-fourth the rent will be required as deposit, balance by approved bills payable on 1st September.
Usual Letting conditions.
The Letting will commence at 1 o'clock.
GANLY, SONS & CO.,
Auctioneers and Live Stock Salesmen,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

LEGAL NOTICES.

RE
THE RIGHT HONOURABLE FRANCES ISABELLA COUNTESS DOWAGER OF DONOUGHMORE, Deceased.—Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Right Honourable Frances Isabella Countess Dowager of Donoughmore, late of Kilmanahan Castle, Clonmel, Ireland, and No. 3 Buckingham Gate, London, S.W., Widow, Deceased, who died on the 27th of April, 1924, and whose Will was proved by Arthur Burbury, of 32 Campden Hill Gardens, London, and Francis Cotton Annesley, of 64 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, the Executors therein named, on the 28th October, 1924, in the Principal Probate Registry, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said Executors at the Offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 2nd day of January, 1925. And notice is hereby also given that after that date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said the Right Honourable Frances Isabella Countess Dowager of Donoughmore, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 21st day of November, 1924.
PENNINGTON and SON, Solicitors for the said Executors, 64 Lincoln's Inn Fields, W.C. 2.

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READERS.
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Leeson Park—AT REDUCED PRICE—A REALLY WELL - BUILT MODERN HOUSE FOR SALE, two-storeyed, with fine accommodation; 3 spacious reception, 5 family bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, hot bath, electric light, etc.; fine motor garage. Price moderate. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Abbey Street—To Wholesale Merchants and others—For Sale, free of rent, or to be Let, very fine Premises in the best part of Abbey street, with fine frontage and great depth, and rear entrance; suitable to any firm requiring solid and well-constructed Premises with large accommodation. Possession can be had in January. Full particulars from Dockrell Limited, Agents, Dublin.

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Co. Cork, 96 Acres—FREE OF RENT FOR EVER—GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE FOR SALE; all in perfect order; 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maids' rooms, hot bath, splendid out-offices—making a valuable farm; only 5 miles from Cork City. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Aungier Street STH. GT. GEORGE'S STREET) — FINE SHOP and DWELLING HOUSE, in perfect order, TO BE LET; suit good class business. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

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STH. GT. GEORGE'S STREET.

FOR WIRELESS AMATEURS—How to make Coils and fix Earth Connections. See the Wireless Page, conducted by experts, in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES."

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PRIVATE TREATY SALES.

HARCOURT STREET.—To Societies, Clubs, etc. Ideal Situation—Fine Old Dublin Mansion, with possession, corner position, containing large reception rooms, with beautiful marble mantelpieces; coach-house, stabling. Terms Battersby, Dublin.

NORTH CO. DUBLIN.—On 52 Acres Statute—Attractive Modern Villa Residence, situate few miles Pillar; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, electric light, stabling and garage. Possession. For price apply Battersby, Dublin.

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SOUTH CITY.—Extensive Premises, good frontage, fine depth; floor area about 6,000 square feet; recently reconstructed; large office, 6 rooms; bath (h. and c.); large Warehouse in 3 floors, well lit. Possession of all. Price, etc., Battersby, Dublin.

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SUTTON.—A charmingly situated Semi-detached Residence, in perfect order; 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, good garage. Possession. Price £1,400.—Battersby, Westmoreland street.

RATHMINES.—Handsome, well-built House, bay windows; 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, garden, rear entrance. Terms and Order to View, Battersby, Dublin.

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BATTERSBY & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,
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FOR SALE,
DETACHED RESIDENCE,
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